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WE QUOTE A FEW OF THE LEADING LINES:
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LOST—A pocket book containing passes. The finder will confer a favor by leaving the same at the Colonist office. M. K. Jones. jy28

FUNERAL NOTICE.

ANCIENT ORDER OF FORESTERS.

Members of the above order are requested to meet at the Foresters' Hall at 1 p.m. THIS DAY to attend funeral of our late brother, Samuel Steventon, of Court Excelsior, Toronto. By order
CHIEF RANGER COURT VANCOUVER.
jy28 CHIEF RANGER COURT NORTHERN LIGHT.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

MEMBERS of Vancouver and Quadra Lodge, No. 2, A. F. & A.M., B.C.R., are requested to meet at the Masonic Temple, Douglas street, on Friday, the 28th inst., at 1.30 p.m. sharp, for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late brother, Samuel Steventon, of St. John's Lodge No 75, G.R.C.
Members of Victoria-Columbia Lodge, No. 1, and sojourning brethren in good standing, are cordially invited to attend.
By order of the W.M.
R. A. BROWN, Secretary.
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A BY-LAW.

No. 200.

RATES AND TAXES BY-LAW, 1893.

THE Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria enacts as follows:—

Sec. 1. There is hereby settled, imposed and levied, and there shall be raised and collected an equal rate of thirteen mills on the dollar upon all land upon the assessment roll for the year 1893 of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, at its assessed value thereon.

Sec. 2. There is hereby settled, imposed and levied, and there shall be raised and collected an equal rate of twelve mills on the dollar upon all improvements upon the assessment roll for the year 1893, of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, at their assessed value thereon.

Sec. 3. For the purpose of raising money to create a fund to defray expenses connected with the Board of Health, all land in the City of Victoria is hereby assessed at its value as assessed upon the assessment roll of the said Corporation for the year 1893, and for the like purpose there shall be levied and collected thereon a special rate of six mills on the dollar.

Sec. 4. The aforesaid rates and taxes shall be due and payable to the Collector of the said Corporation at his office at the City Hall, Victoria, on the thirtieth day of August, A.D. 1893, and all persons who pay the aforesaid rates or taxes on or before the thirty-first day of October, A.D., 1893, shall be entitled to a discount or reduction of one-sixth of the amount thereof.

Sec. 5. The rates and taxes on land or on improvements which are unpaid on the 31st day of December, A.D. 1893 shall bear interest therefrom until paid in full, at the rate of seven per centum per annum thereon.

Sec. 6. The terms "land" or "improvements," as used in this by-law, shall have the meaning set forth in section two of the Municipal Act, 1892, as amended in the Municipal Act Amendment Act, 1893.

Sec. 7. Any by law or by-laws containing any provision or provisions which may be or which are inconsistent with or repugnant to the provisions of this by law is, and are hereby repealed, in so far only as the same are so inconsistent or repugnant, but not otherwise, so as that full force and effect shall be given to the provisions of this by-law.

Sec 8. This by-law may be cited as "Tax By-Law, 1893."

Passed the Municipal Council the 19th day of July, 1893.

Reconsidered, adopted and finally passed by the Council this 24th day of July, 1893.

[L.S.] ROBERT BEAVEN, Mayor.
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.

NOTICE

The above is a true copy of a by-law passed by the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria on the 24th day of July 1893, and all persons are required to take notice that any one desirous of applying to have such by-law or any section thereof quashed must make his application for that purpose to the Supreme Court within one month next after the publication of this by-law in the British Columbia Gazette, or he will be too late to be heard in that behalf.
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.

CORNS and Bunions removed to-day without pain, by Hanna, the world's expert chiropodist and footologist, room 37 in the Balmoral Hotel. Consultation free. jy27 4t

RED and black currants and raspberries, rhubarb, broad beans, peas; vegetables from Wilson estate; and a full line of groceries on hand; everything for family use. Mrs P. Wilson's, 185 Douglas street. je20 1m

A POLITICAL RUMOR.

Reported Changes in the Dominion Premiership and Cabinet.

TORONTO, July 27.—An apparently well founded rumor is in circulation in the best informed circles here to-day, to the effect that when Sir Charles Tupper arrives from Liverpool, shortly, he will take over the leadership of the Conservative party from Sir John Thompson, who will go on the Bench. Various other changes in the Cabinet are suggested as impending.

Dominion Express in the Sandwich Islands

MONTREAL, July 27.—The Dominion Express Co., in alliance with the C. P. R. Steamship Co., has extended its connection to the Sandwich Islands and Australia. Mr. Huddart, the manager of the new Canadian-Australian line, will be in town shortly and will make final arrangements with the Dominion Express Co.

Cheap dinner sets at Cheapside.

PARLIAMENTARY "BEDLAM."

Extraordinary Scene in the House of Commons—Members in Personal Conflict.

The Home Rule Bill With the Aid of the Closure Passes Committee.

LONDON, July 27.—On the Government programme ten o'clock this evening was the hour set for the closure of the debate in Committee on the Home Rule bill. The parts of the bill left over from the discussions of last week and for the divisions this evening were the new financial clauses, the schedules and the preamble. The galleries of the House were filled with persons expectant of an exciting scene, at the close of the committee's labors. Few members were absent from the benches on the floor of the house. The proceedings early in the evening were tame enough. John Clancy, Parnellite for North Dublin county, moved an amendment to the effect that the Imperial Government should guarantee to Ireland £500,000 annually during the provisional period of six years.

Mr. Gladstone declined to accept the amendment. The financial scheme under discussion, he said, provided fully for the equitable, even liberal, treatment of the new Irish Government. If the estimates, which had been made with the greatest care, were realized, Ireland would have £512,000 annually assured her.

Rt. Hon. Mr. Goschen, Chancellor of the Exchequer in the late Salisbury cabinet, also spoke against Mr. Clancy's motion. Obscure members continued the debate until 9:45, just fifteen minutes before the closure was to be applied. Then Joseph Chamberlain rose to deliver the final broadside of the Opposition. He was still smarting under the last castigation of Mr. Gladstone, and spoke with corresponding bitterness. After a few scornful and biting words as to the conduct of the ministers, he began giving his opinion of the closure as applied by the Government. The members, he said were about to witness the last scene in a discreditable farce. The debate on the financial clauses had been a mere sham. The Government had stood over friend and foe alike, ready to let fall the guillotine without regard for justice or constitutional rights. The Irish members as well as the Unionists were not permitted to discuss the important financial questions presented by the new clauses. But such discussion was to be cut short. The bill had been changed in its most vital features; still no debate was regarded as necessary, since, whatever was altered, the bill was almost found perfect by the adherents of the Prime Minister.

Jeers from the Irish, cheers from the Unionists and counter cheers from the Liberals interrupted Mr. Chamberlain at this point. He waited two or three minutes before they abated sufficiently for him to speak without effort, and then proceeded thus:

"The Prime Minister calls black, and the adherents say it is good. He calls white, and they say it is better. (Unionist laughter.) It is always the voice of God. Never since the time of Herod has there been such."

Mr. Chamberlain got no further. Immediately after resuming his speech he had been warned by mutterings from the Irish benches that a storm was gathering. He could hardly have expected the suddenness with which it broke, for, with his half-finished reference to Herod, there came from the Nationalists such a roar as has not been heard in the House since the days of Parnell. Mr. Chamberlain was startled, but he tried to talk on. His voice was, however, inaudible to the House. He turned towards the Nationalists, and yells of execration sounded above the roar.

J. P. O'Connor sprang to his feet and, leaning towards Mr. Chamberlain, shouted "Judas" so loudly that the epithet could be heard through the House. The rest of the Irishmen took up the cry and for half a minute shouted "Judas!" in chorus. Meantime the clock struck ten.

Chairman Mellor tried to put the closure, but his voice could not be heard amid the shouts of the Irish and the Unionists. Then came a scene unprecedented in Parliamentary history. Mr. Mellor gave, in a weak voice, the customary directions to clear the House for a division. As the disorder subsided, preparations were made to execute these directions. The Conservatives, however, flatly refused to quit the House. Vicary, Gibbs, Gibson, Bowles and Wm. Hanbury shouted to the chairman that he must first call Mr. O'Connor to order for having called Mr. Chamberlain names.

Mr. Mellor protested that he had not heard the epithets in question. Nobody told him what Mr O'Connor had said.

While the members crowded forward in excited groups shaking their fists and shouting their demands, Messrs. Gibbs, Bowles and Hanbury got together, and to make themselves heard shouted in chorus at Mr Mellor, "Will you direct that those words be taken down?"

Lord Randolph Churchill and Sir Edward Clarke got hold of Mr. Gibbs and started him for the front bench, that he might elucidate the cause of the row to Mr. Mellor, who was making strenuous but vain efforts to learn what the grievance of the Tory trio was. Mr. Gibbs tried to go forward, but in the general jostling and shouting he was so pushed about and confused that he gave up his purpose, and Mr. Mellor remained uninformed. Meantime half of the Unionists had climbed to the benches and were shouting "Gag!" Others were struggling in the aisles and benches with their Radical, Liberal or Irish antagonists. Gross insults were heard on all sides.

John Logan, Liberal, ran to the first Opposition bench and began upbraiding Edward Carson, a Tory, as he shook his fist under that gentleman's nose. George Wyndham and William Fisher jumped to the assistance of their party colleagues, seized Mr. Logan by the neck, threw him to the floor head first and bundled him under a bench.

Somebody smashed Tim Healy's big hat over his eyes. Healy tore off the hat and threw himself over into the aisle in full fighting posture just as Mr. Hanbury, still shouting that the chairman must name Mr. O'Connor, was trying to get by. Mr. Hanbury was knocked over a bench by the force of the collision before Mr. Healy got in a blow.

A free fight then broke out at the top of the gangway. The centre of it was William Redmond, Parnellite, who had taken advantage of the general license to push over Colonel Saunderson, the champion of the men of Ulster. Colonel Saunderson was rescued and led an attack on the Parnellites. Blows were struck right and left; members fell and were picked up by their friends to fight again, and the whole space between the front benches was filled with a struggling, cursing mass of members, striking, clawing and upsetting each other. Manful efforts were made to separate the combatants. The Sergeants-at-Arms forced their way through the thick of the fight; but as fast as one group was pacified another came to blows.

Eventually Mr. Gladstone begged Edward Majoribanks, a sturdy Liberal, to do something to stop the fighting

Mr. Majoribanks made his way through the tangled mass of belligerents and made appeals in the name of the Premier. Finally he succeeded in stemming the turmoil When Col. Saunderson emerged from the fighters he was holding a bunch of keys to his black eye. Others followed in a more or less damaged condition.

Just as peace was assured the doors leading to the lobby opened, and Dr. Tanner, who had been outside and had heard of the fight but a minute before, came down the House, leaping over benches in his haste to get into the melee. The Sergeant-at-Arms caught him half way, and restrained him until he consented to keep the peace.

Mr. Balfour had been absent during the trouble. Mr. Gladstone, sitting bolt upright, had watched the scene with inflamed face and an expression of sorrow, indignation and astonishment, which will never be effaced from the memory of those observing him.

Chairman Mellor sent for Speaker Peel as soon as order was restored. When the Speaker entered several Conservatives rose, and pointing to Mr. Gladstone, exclaimed, "There sits the author of it all."

While Mr. Gladstone, Mr. Balfour and Mr. Mellor conferred as to what should be done, the combatants were comparing notes. Not a few of them showed the effects of rough handling Tim Healy had received a hard blow on the face, and one cheek was badly swollen. William Redmond had also a bad spot on his face.

The hum of voices died out as Speaker Peel, stern and dignified, took the chair. A slight cheer was given for him, and then Mr. Mellor, as chairman, reported to Mr. Peel, as Speaker of the House, what had occurred. Mr. Mellor spoke in a low, sorrowful voice, but the members had become so quiet that not a word was inaudible. In response to the Speaker's request, Mr. Gibbs then made his complaint in regard to Mr. O'Connor's remark. Messrs. Hanbury and William Johnston, Conservative, corroborated his statement.

The Speaker asked Mr. O'Connor to say, on his word of honor, whether or not he had used the word "Judas."

Tim Healy, amid loud cries of "Order!" interposed to ask whether no attention would be paid to the refusal of members to enter the lobbies for the division. This, he said, was the real reason why the Speaker had been summoned. Should it not then be considered first?

The Speaker at once appealed to the party leaders to tell him what had occurred.

Cheers and calls for Mr. Gladstone brought the Premier to his feet. He said: "I regret to say that neither my eyes nor ears enable me to give a very clear account of the affair." He then gravely described the events as they had been reported to him by his lieutenants, and eventually expressed the opinion that the division should be taken before the "Judas" incident should be taken up.

Mr. Balfour recited the account of the fight, given him by his colleagues, and Mr. Healy's request.

Mr. Mellor again told what he knew of the affair. He said he had not heard the offensive epithets, but had ordered that it be taken down, and then summoned the Speaker.

Speaker Peel thanked the leaders and Mr. Mellor for their aid. He added: "I have arrived at the conclusion that the expression alleged to have been used was the original cause of the disorder; I feel certain the gentleman who used the words did so in the heat and irritation of the moment. If he were simply to say he regrets having used them, I am quite certain it would be my duty to take no further notice of the affair."

Amid Conservative cries of "withdraw" Mr. O'Connor humbly apologized to the Speaker if any words of his had contributed to bring about this regrettable state of affairs.

The Speaker said the apology was most ample; that the House could expect no more. "I trust," he added, "that members will now proceed to business in a manner to do honor to the traditions of the House, and not allow any enemy of our constituents to look back."

The rest of the sentence was lost in a storm of cheers.

Colonel Saunderson rose as soon as the cheering subsided, and despite frequent interruptions, and shouts of "No" from the Irish, he recounted excitedly how an anti-Parnellite had hit him in the eye. The increasing confusion threatened a renewal of the riot, when Mr. Balfour and Timothy Harrington rose together.

Mr Balfour yielded the floor and the Irish became more tranquil. Amid laughter and ironical cheers Mr. Harrington said he took part in the conflict only to help the Sergeant-at-Arms to restore order. He said he had seen Col Saunderson strike several members before Mr. Crean hit him.

Thomas Condon (anti-Parnellite) confirmed this statement.

A hubbub then arose in the House, and the Speaker requested members to let the subject drop, as it was futile to go back to the disagreeable incidents of the disturbance.

Mr. Mellor then resumed the chair. The new clause was adopted by a vote of 312 to 291.

As another clause, which had not been discussed was to be put to a vote, somebody challenged Mr. Balfour to read it. In an undertone Mr. Balfour said "No, no, don't have it read." The clause was carried by a vote of 321 to 288.

The two other financial clauses were carried without division. The postponement of the 15th and 16th clauses was adopted on a vote of 316 to 283.

The motion that the first schedule stand part of the bill was carried by a vote of 310 to 277.

The second schedule was carried by 290 to 275, amid loud Opposition cheers. The rest of the schedules were adopted without noteworthy incidents.

When the committee rose, and Chairman

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CAPITAL NOTES.

Strong Objection Taken to the Sale of the Thousand Islands by the Government.

Relations Between Canada and Australia—Messrs. Huddart and Ward Interview Government.

(From our own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, July 27.—An agitation has been started in Kingston against the sale of a portion of the Thousand Islands. It is said to be dictated solely by interested motives on the part of Kingston people who claim to be deprived of their camping and fishing grounds. For years complaint has been made that the Canadian islands had not been developed owing to the stringent regulations. Now the regulations have been relaxed a kick comes from opposite quarters.

Messrs Huddart and Ward of the Canadian-Australian steamship line had a conference with Hon. Mr. Bowell to-day to arrange the details of the service. It is likely a provision will be inserted allowing the vessels to call at the Fiji Islands as well as at Honolulu. The Ottawa Board of trade to-night passed strong resolutions endorsing the enterprise. Hon. Mr. Bowell was present, and said the Government would render every possible assistance to foster the trade of Canada with the sister colonies He hoped that within the next two years a direct Pacific cable and fast Atlantic service would be inaugurated.

H. M. S. "VICTORIA."

Captain Bourke's Statement in Defence Before the Court Martial.

His Tribute to Officers and Men—He is Acquitted of All Blame.

VALETTA, July 27.—The prosecution closed yesterday, and Capt. Bourke began at the opening of the court this morning to read his defence. He reviewed the evidence in detail, paying most particular attention to the testimony given regarding the responsibility for the disaster. He said the question was whether he, with Vice Admiral Tryon on the chart house of the Victoria, ought to have acted independently. The Court alone could answer this question. He could not say what he should have done if Vice-Admiral Tryon had not been there; but his feeling was he should have taken more strenuous action at an early period of the manœuvres without the sanction of the Vice-Admiral, and should have sent aft and informed him of what he had done. Captain Bourke paid a most eloquent tribute to the behavior of everybody on board, especially to the young officers who had been cut off at the opening of their careers. He concluded by expressing the deep grief of all the survivors at the loss of Vice-Admiral Tryon.

The court subsequently found that no responsibility attached to Captain Bourke for the disaster, and he was therefore acquitted of all blame.

FRANCE AND SIAM.

Notice Given of the Blockade of Bangkok and the Gulf of Siam.

The Government of the Kingdom Anxious to Avoid Conflict With the French.

BANGKOK, July 27.—Notice was given to-day of the blockade by the French fleet. Outgoing vessels have been warned that they must clear from Bangkok and keep away from Koh-Si-Chang before Saturday or submit to detention. The blockade will extend along the entire north coast of the Gulf of Siam. The French fleet, with M. Pavie, French minister resident, has gone to Ko-Si-Chang. The general expectation is that early in August the French fleet will attack Bangkok and land some 5,000 men. There is little doubt here that the French purpose to make Siam a French colony. The Siamese Government is exceedingly anxious to avoid open warfare. When the gunboat Lutin was at the Menam bar, early this morning, the Foreign Minister sent to M. Pavie a note, to the effect that the King and his advisors were most anxious to maintain peace. All such efforts, however, are believed by the English residents to be in vain. Unless Great Britain interferes to assist in a settlement of the dispute, there can be little expectation or even hope that France will refrain from extreme measures.

LONDON, June 27.—The Pall Mall Gazette, this afternoon, says: "We learn from an authority that is deserving of the highest respect, that the French-Siamese difficulty has been settled. France has agreed to accept Siam's proposal, and has abandoned her claims to the territory lying between the eighteenth and 23rd parallels of latitude.

Lizzie Borden.

TAUNTON, Mass., July 27.—The report that Lizzie Borden voluntarily surrendered herself to Sheriff Wright, this noon, is untrue. She merely came to the jail to make a visit.

Eseljay's Liver Lozenges are pleasant to take. They are laxative but strengthening.

Reduced Passenger Rates.

The Northern Pacific railroad takes pleasure in notifying its patrons that its rates to St. Paul, Chicago and points East are as low as by any and all other lines. Full particulars will be cheerfully furnished upon application to E. E. Blackwood, agent. je28

Carpenter tools at Cheapside.

NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

Fraser River Salmon Run Falling Off But Canneries Working Hard.

Root Crops in the Fraser Valley Will Be Highly Productive.

[Special to the COLONIST.

WESTMINSTER.

NEW WESTMINSTER, July 27.—Constable Robb, late of the Cariboo gold escort, escaped from the asylum this morning, but he was recaptured a few hours after.

The bones of fifty dead Chinamen are being exhumed from the old cemetery, and will be shipped to China.

The W. C. T. U. have elected the following officers: president, Mrs. M A. Cunningham; vice-president, Mrs. J. King; recording secretary, Mrs. Dr. Boggs; treasurer, Mrs. C. G Major.

Fifty Chinamen went down the river this afternoon to work at the various canneries There is a great demand for labor at the packing establishments just now.

Cattle thief Ross, of Chilcotin, sentenced to eight years' penitentiary by Judge Cornwall at Clinton, last week, was brought to the city last night and handed over to Warden McBride.

There was a very perceptible falling off in the salmon catches last night down river, the boats only averaging fifty fish each Some canners say this is accounted for by the great number of boats now fishing at the mouth of the river. Opposite and above the city, where fewer boats were at work, the average was slightly larger.

Haying is well advanced in most parts of the district and the crop is being saved in very good condition. The yield, as a rule, is fully up to the average, except in a few sections where the high water interfered. Grain is heading out well and promises to be a fair yield. Potatoes, though the outlook for them a month ago was very blue, look splendid. Plums will be a heavy yield all round; but apples and pears will be considerably below the average in most varieties. Roots will be a good crop according to present indications.

NANAIMO.

NANAIMO, July 27.—Two of the three prisoners, Robt. Bullock, and J. S. Doherty, were convicted on the second charge of supplying whiskey to Indians. The hearing of the case occupied until ten o'clock last night, when an adjournment was granted until ten o'clock on Monday morning. The complaint against the steamer Ina will then be heard. Paterson, one of the prisoners, was formerly a member of the Vancouver police force and last year did detective work here, being engaged in working up cases against a number of Belgians supposed to be selling liquor without a license at Wellington.

This afternoon the annual picnic of the congregation of St. Albans took place at Departure Bay. In the evening there was a moonlight excursion.

The Sons of Temperance had a moonlight excursion this evening, on the s.s. Cutch.

The raspberry festival in St. Paul's Institute, this evening, was a very successful affair. A large number enjoyed the dance which followed.

Mayor Haslam, W. Young, W. McGregor, Dr. Praeger, Dr. Hall, Ald. P. Dobson, Watson, Hart, Miller, Wall and Hugh, will represent Nanaimo at the B. C. Rifle Association matches.

WINNIPEG WIRINGS.

An Annexationist Ineligible for Church Office —Alderman Committed for Trial.

WINNIPEG, July 27.—(Special)—A tramp, yesterday, assaulted two little boys in a secluded spot, near the Red river. The outrages are of the vilest description imaginable. Up to a late hour the brute had not been captured.

Maggie Spence, a woman of the town, was found in an alley-way, last night, badly bruised and beaten.

Ald. Henderson, charged with embezzlement from the Western Lumber Co., has been committed for trial.

The election of a prominent real estate man to an office in one of the city churches was vetoed by the congregation, because he is an avowed annexationist.

Another large Raymond tourist party for Alaska passed westward to-day.

BIG STOCK DEAL.

Duncan McIntyre Purchases a Large Block of Commercial Cable Shares.

MONTREAL, July 27.—(Special)—Duncan McIntyre, after the close of the Stock Exchange, purchased a block of 1,500 shares of Commercial Cable at 110, paying in cash $165,000. The knowledge that this large block might come on the market at any moment has had a very depressing effect, not only on cable, but all other local securities. That the stock has gone into such strong hands must have a reassuring effect on all securities.

'FRISCO'S FAIR.

Additional Offers of Assistance to Make the Enterprise a Complete Success.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 27.—The Executive committee of the Midwinter fair gives out the following information, this morning: H. Wallerstein, who has large flour milling exhibits at Chicago, communicates relative to establishing his exhibits at the California fair. Several additional offers have been received to-day, from gentlemen who believe they can be of assistance to the fair, and tender their services free of any cost, except travelling expenses, to work among the different Pacific coast states. A great many offers have been received from paint manufacturers offering to paint the buildings and also to cover the roofs with various materials. One firm to-day requested the privilege of covering the offices of the buildings at the fair for the cost of the material and labor. Applications from mercantile houses of all sorts are coming in every mail. A local firm representing a large number of eastern manufacturers, say they intend to get up a very elaborate exhibition of different proprietary articles; some of these exhibits are prominent features at the Columbian exhibition, and many of these will be brought to California intact. The Chinese merchants of this city have subscribed $5,000 to the Midwinter fair.

The wonderful cures of thousands of people —they tell the story of the merit of Hood's Sarsaparilla. HOOD'S CURES.

Intending house furnishers, should not fail to call at Weiler Bros. and inspect their immense line of goods.

A BATCH OF APPOINTMENTS.

Announcements Published in Yesterday's Issue of the B. C. Gazette.

The B. C. Gazette, published yesterday, contains notice of a large number of appointments, which are as follows:

William G. McMynn, of Rock creek, to be a Notary Public for Yale Electoral district.

Michael Callanan, of Nanaimo, L.R.C.S., etc., to be Resident Physician for the lower part of the Cariboo Electoral district, vice W. P. Williamson, M.D., C.M., resigned.

Casper Phair, of Lillooet, to be a Stipendiary Magistrate for the Counties of Cariboo and Yale.

Thomas Joseph Armstrong, of New Westminster, to be Sheriff of the County of Westminster, vice William James Armstrong, resigned.

Walter J. Thicke, of Vancouver, to be Deputy District Registrar of the Supreme Court for the Vancouver Judicial district, Deputy Registrar of the County Court for the County Court of Vancouver, and a Deputy Registrar for the purpose of the "Marriage Act."

Terrence H. Giffin, of Nelson, to be a District Registrar under the "Supreme Court Act."

William John Goepel, of Nelson, to be Mining Recorder of the Nelson mining division, vice T. H. Giffin, Esquire, resigned.

Oliver George Dennis, of Kaslo, to be an Assessor and Collector for the purposes of the "Assessment Act" within and for the Nelson division of the West Kootenay district, vice T. H. Giffin, Esquire, resigned.

Martin Beattie, of Lytton, to be Assessor and Collector under the "Assessment Act," and Collector of Revenue and Revenue Tax for the Kamloops polling division of the Yale electoral district, vice Ernest T. W. Pearse, Esquire.

Martin Beattie, of Lytton, to be Deputy District Registrar of the Supreme Court for the Clinton judicial district and Deputy Registrar for the County Court of Yale

Ernest Theodore William Pearse, of Kamloops, to be First Clerk in the Land Registry office at the city of Kamloops.

MARINE MOVEMENTS.

The "San Pedro" Likely to Be Raised This Week—"Islander" Leaves for Alaska.

The pumps on the wrecked steamer San Pedro were started up yesterday morning at 4 o'clock and kept going all day to give the work done a thorough test. There are in all 18 pumps, and it is estimated that when they are all working at about their average capacity they will throw out water enough to allow the ship to rise. Carefully as the work on the enclosed coffer-dam has been done, some leaks have been found, and five divers at work in the water under and inside the ship were busy all day putting in plugs. This work will be continued to-day, and possibly between now and Sunday the San Pedro, which has been a wreck on Brotchie ledge since November, 1891, will be floated. The intention, should she come off, is to tow her into Esquimalt harbor and beach her in the mud in about the same place as the Romulus was run after her accident. The work of testing the pumps and coffer-dam was watched with a great deal of interest yesterday, many people going out to the ship in small boats, while others viewed the operations from the shore. The general supposition was that the ship was to be raised, and the interest was increased accordingly.

MARINE NOTES.

Owing to being detained at sea by strong head winds, the steamship Walla Walla was over a half-day late in arriving from San Francisco yesterday. She brought 158 9 10 tons of general freight for Victoria, and besides the passengers for this city, also landed 28 people here who are bound for Eastern points.

The steamer Islander, Capt. Irving, sailed for Vancouver *en route* to Alaska, last evening. At the Terminal city she will take on the two tourist parties who are to arrive there, to day, by the C P R. train.

Steamer City of Puebla sails for San Francisco this morning.

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SAN FRANCISCO, July 28.—Recognizing that gold mining in this State and along the Pacific Coast has entered upon a new era of prosperity, the San Francisco Stock and Exchange Board, at an executive session this morning, made a bid for the placing of more gold mining stocks upon its list. Upon motion of one of the members of the board, it was unanimously resolved to suspend to all gold mining companies for thirty days from this date the charge of $500 for listing their stocks, and to allow them to list their shares upon payment of $100 and all dues. It was also resolved to have circulars printed and circulated giving all information upon this subject and to send a copy to every gold mining company and gold mine owner upon the Pacific Coast.

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The semi-annual meeting of the above Society will be held at Sir Wm. Wallace Society Hall, Broad street, opposite View,

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ja28-tf C. DUBOIS MASON.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF FORESTERS —Court Cariboo, No. 743, meets on the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of each month in St. George's Hall, cor. Government and Bastion sts Visiting brethren welcome. R. Douglas, C. R., A. L Campbell, R. S. oc15

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BRUTALLY LYNCHED.

A Denver Mob Break Open the Jail and Make Away With a Murderer.

Dragged to the Street, Suspended From a Tree and Riddled With Bullets.

DENVER, July 27.—Tuesday night, B. C. Lightfoot, an old Grand Army man, was brutally murdered by Dan Arata, an Italian saloonkeeper of unsavory fame. The murderer was placed in the county jail, and the matter had been discussed all day by the people. Many threats of lynching were made, but not much attention was paid to them, as it was thought the time for frontier justice in Denver had passed. This evening, however, there was a large mass meeting of unemployed men at Seventeenth and Market streets. There were speeches made on the present financial depression, and kindred topics. When the speakers were through, a tall, gray-whiskered veteran, wearing a Grand Army uniform, mounted the stand and shouted: "Follow me." The crowd understood him, and 5,000 people took up the march after him to the county jail. On the way they were joined by many hundreds, and when the jail was reached the crowd numbered fully 10,000

The jail is a new and massive one, and it was not thought it could be entered by the crowd. Beams and every other available forms of battering implements, however, were brought into play, and in a short time the outside door on the north side was battered in. At this point Capt. Crews, the jailer, and the guards, assisted by some city police, turned a heavy stream of water upon the crowd. It had no effect on their ardor. By this time the crowd in the streets around the jail had swelled to 40,000 at least. The people in the jail turned off the lights, leaving the entrance in darkness. The crowd secured headlights from some cable cars and brought them to the scene. When the door leading to the jail office fell in the guards inside began to fire. The enraged mob did not hesitate, although two of their number received painful wounds. The guard was quickly overpowered and, as the jailer would not give any information, the crowd started in a search for Arata's cell.

When it was reached it was quickly broken into. One of the mob, with a knife, ripped at the murderer's abdomen. Others interfered and he was dragged out to the street, pulled up to the limb of a tree and his body riddled with bullets. Finally the rope broke and his bleeding body fell into the gutter with a splash. Some of the crowd yelled to burn it, but finally a number of men seized the rope and dragged the corpse by the neck through the mud into the heart of the business portion of the city. At Seventeenth and Curtis streets the body was again strung up to a telegraph pole, and it was a quarter of an hour before the police took it down and placed it in the morgue. The crowds then dispersed. A number of jail officials were badly hurt by missiles thrown by the mob.

DEEDS OF A DEMON.

A Jealous Laborer Kills His Wife and Two Children.

PITTSBURG, July 27.—Early yesterday morning the fire department was called to extinguish a small blaze in the house of John Smouse, an ignorant laborer. They found the bodies of Smouse's wife and two small children, who were evidently murdered, and the house fired to conceal the crime. The little children had the appearance of having been smothered, although the bodies also showed marks of violence. Their clothing was burned little, though had they been living when the fire started they would have had no difficulty in getting away from the small blaze. The children were Mary and Maggie, four and two years old respectively. The husband was at once surrounded by firemen and the police sent for. He told the story that he had been sleeping on the floor down stairs, but was awakened by the smoke and ran up stairs to extinguish the flames. It was then, he said, that he first discovered the dead bodies of his wife and children.

The police, however, have a different idea of the crime, and at once placed Smouse under arrest. They were confident that murders were committed, and say the murderer set fire to the house to conceal the crime. Smouse is 35 years of age and apparently very ignorant. There was one more child in the family, but by some means the little one escaped the general massacre

The bodies of the victims were taken to the morgue, and Smouse was locked up in the station house to await the investigation by the coroner. The child saved is five years old, but this weeping boy told the police that his father killed his mother. "He hit her on the head three times with a hatchet," sobbed the little fellow. The neighbors think jealousy was the cause of the awful crime.

A PREACHER'S PROMISES.

How He Swindled the Public and was Horsewhipped by a Plucky Young Woman.

PORTLAND, July 27.—Rev. O. D. Taylor, a Baptist preacher at The Dalles, who was horsewhipped a few days ago by an irate schoolma'am to whom he owed $100, was yesterday arrested and brought to this city, accused of embezzling $50,000, funds of the Interstate Investment company, of which he has been for a long time manager. Taylor is president of the Wasco Independent academy at The Dalles. He owed $100 to Miss Holcomb, a teacher in the academy, and refused to pay. Miss Aqua, a warm friend of Miss Holcomb, took up the latter's fight and laid the whip on the clergyman in vigorous style. The Dalles Times, speaking of the occurrance, says: "We have rarely seen such an exhibition of public sympathy as was extended to the young lady who horsewhipped O. D. Taylor this afternoon. At one time excitement ran so high that many believe, if a leader had assumed command, a riot would have resulted, and the reverend gentleman would have been the victim. While the act is to be deplored, very many express the opinion that Taylor received no more than he deserved. There are many people from the East in the city who have been deluded out of their earnings by his promises in regard to investments at North Dalles, and these have no friendly feeling towards the gentleman."

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MURDERED MISSIONARIES.

Details of the Killing of Two American Missionaries in China.

VANCOUVER, July 27.—The Swedish missionaries massacred at Sung Pu, near Hankow, on July 1, were of Bishop Taylor's party, recruited in Wisconsin about six months ago. The steamship Empress of India, which arrived yesterday, brings the details of the murder of these missionaries. Revs. Wikholm and Johanson, the missionaries, arrived in Sung Pu last April, and were the only missionaries there. Sung Pu is an important market place northeast of Hankow, and contains about thirty thousand inhabitants. They made no converts, but on the contrary their lives were in danger almost from the start. They were warned by servants that they would be killed on July 1, but took no precaution except to send a letter to the magistrate demanding protection. Early in the morning of July 1, the missionaries' house was surrounded by a mob. The missionaries attempted to escape over the roofs of houses, but were followed by the mob Finally they could go no further and dropped into the street into the hands of the mob.

Their sufferings were short. Mr. Wikholm's skull was smashed with an ax and Mr. Johanson was speedily beaten out of all resemblance to a human being by bamboo rods and iron bars. Their bodies were stripped naked, subjected to revolting mutilations and left on the street for the dogs to eat. The mob then looted and burned the missionaries' houses. Two missionaries from Hankow, in company with a mandarin and soldiers, left for Sung Pu on July 4 to investigate the matter and recover the bodies.

RENEWED DEPRESSION.

A Most Erratic Stock Market in New York—No Failures Announced.

Large Shipments of Gold Expected from Europe—Prices Advanced Toward the End.

NEW YORK, July 27.—The day opened at the Stock Exchange with renewed depression, and a sudden drop of 4 points in Lackawanna to 127, created no little uneasiness as a repetition of yesterday's heavy liquidations, with possible failures was feared in stock circles. General Electric Consolidated Gas, Chicago Gas, American Sugar, Canada Southern and a few others sustained losses of 1 to 3½ per cent., but speculation soon quieted down when it was found that there was some support to the market. The strength of the London market and liberal foreign buying orders, tended to restore confidence in a measure, but the "bears" rushed their raids at every opportunity, and the result was most erratic, advancing sharply one minute and then breaking badly the next. It was noticeable after the first hour or so of business that the market resisted the attacks made upon it with increasing force, and later it became evident that an accumulation of stocks was in progress by strong houses and individual operators. The really important movement of the day occurred after delivery hours, when all the stock exchange houses having gone through the trouble, the street heaved a sigh of relief, when it was found that there were to be no failures and it was greatly encouraged by the steps taken by some of the bankers in connection with the clearing house banks to import a large amount of gold in the immediate future, a quantity of which will be shipped from Europe on Saturday to this side, the low rates of exchange making the operation feasible. Foreign purchases of stock were estimated at 40,000 shares, and the investment buying of small lots for home account was on a larger scale than for many years. The latter is regarded as most important, inasmuch as it brings ready money into the street. The advance in prices from the lowest was equal to 1a17 points, the latter in Evansville and Terre Haute, which sold up to 90 and closed at 87 In the final trading there was a reaction of ¼ to ⅞ per cent. in a few instances, but speculation closed firm in tone. The sales aggregated 391,080, of which 35,939 were unlisted.

The closing bide were: Canadian Pacific, 67¼; Central Pacific, 18½; Denver and Rio Grand, 9; Wells Fargo, 130; Missouri Pacific, 10; North American, 4¾; Northern Pacific 8; do preferred, 20¼; North Western, 90¾; Oregon Navigation, 40; Oregon Improvement, 8; Pacific Mail, 8½; Texas Pacific, 5¼; Union Pacific, 18½; Western Union, 71½; Bar Silver 69¾.

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Threw Open His Show to the Waifs Who Were Refused Admission to the Exposition.

CHICAGO, July 27.—Among the foreign judges of awards selected by the Board of Lady Managers and the Executive Committee on awards and approved by the National Commission to-day, was E. M. Jones, for Canada.

This was the day set apart by Mayor Harrison's proclamation for a free summer outing for all the poor children in the city, and, over his signature as Mayor, he asked that Chicago's poverty-stricken little ones be allowed to see the White City, in which corporate Chicago has invested $5 000,000, There was no room for them there, and it was feared that they might prove an annoyance. "Buffalo Bill's Wild West" is a private investment and under no obligations to the city of Chicago or its poor. "Buffalo Bill" was not asked by Mayor Harrison or anybody else, over an official signature, to throw open his gates to Chicago's poor children; but it did not take him eight seconds to make up his mind what he would do the minute he heard that the World's Fair knew no "open sesame" for the newsboys and shoeblacks, and to-day 15 000 boys and girls from the slums marched through the streets, became guests of the Illinois Central to Sixty-third street, and were royally entertained by "Buffalo Bill," who gave them the most glorious day in all the history of Chicago waifdom.

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The Cattle are well bred; a much larger herd could be farmed with the place. The bunch grass on the hills in the vicinity covers many thousands of acres, and is available to the few land owners in the valleys. All buildings and fences about the farm are in good order, and farming operations can be gone on with at once; about 180 acres of ploughing have been, so far, provided for this year's work.

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Victoria, B.C., July 10, 1893. jy11-tf

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July 11th, 1893. jy12

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Kamloops	Monday	2nd October.
Lytton	Monday	9th October.
N. Westminster	Wednesday	8th November.
Vancouver	Wednesday	15th November.

[On Vancouver Island.]

Victoria	Monday	27th November.
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A SNEAKING ATTACK.

It appears that the Times cannot resist the temptation to impute improper motives to those who undertake to perform a public duty. It has been running so long in the rut of disparagement and false accusation, that we question whether it can get out of it if it tried. In commenting upon the action of the School Trustees, it is not content with condemning what they have done as errors of judgment, but it must a good deal more than insinuate that they were influenced in their action by private considerations. It says the

"South Ward residents take very grave objection to the site selected for their Ward school, so they have a double reason to find fault with the actions of the Board. This indignation is all the greater because they feel that the selection of both site and the plan was not dictated *by any eager desire to serve the public.* It might have been supposed that when the people were given the opportunity of electing their school trustees they would secure the services of men ready *to sink all private considerations* in regard for the public welfare. That this result has not been quite reached is obvious *from the facts connected with the South Ward School.*"

The italics are ours. This is the meanest way in which public servants could be attacked. If the Times knows of any "facts" which show that the Trustees were not actuated by what they considered the public good it is bound in honesty and fairness to state them openly. What were the "private considerations" which influenced them in selecting the site and in choosing the plans? If the trustees have been dishonest in these matters let the Times distinctly specify in what the dishonesty consists? It has said too much now to be silent. Are the assertions made, in the passage we have quoted, based upon facts, or are they simply sneaking slanders?

PENNOYER'S WELCOME.

The Vice-President of the United States must have felt happy when he was not only civilly but cordially welcomed by Governor Pennoyer of Oregon. When the reply which that very independent personage gave to the President's telegram was remembered there might have been doubts as to the manner in which he would receive and greet the Vice-President. But Mr. Stevenson must have felt relieved when he met the Governor at Salem and when that personage welcomed him with an elaborate political speech. On such an occasion good taste would dictate that Mr. Pennoyer would avoid controversial subjects. But the self-satisfied and irrepressible Governor could not resist the temptation of spreading himself out, of dictating to the Vice-President and of making a bid for votes. The speech of welcome, which was very carefully prepared, contained the following rather turgid sentences:—

No fairer land upon the earth is visited by the sunlight of heaven than our own Oregon, and yet with all our resources many of our industries are at a standstill, and hundreds of our laboring men are without employment and their families are without bread. This condition of affairs is the legitimate result of a departure from the financial policy of our fathers, which was made two years ago and which still exists. Believing this, we appeal to you to use your utmost influence to procure a return to the policy of government which was successfully followed for eighty years. The simple repeal of the Sherman law, thus leaving our financial system on a gold basis, by the great political party which elected you to the next highest office in the gift of the people, which has gained control of the legislative and executive branches of the government, and which pledged itself to the people in its last national platform to secure, without discriminating against either metal, the coinage and use of both gold and silver as the standard money of our country, would be a most flagrant breach of good faith, which all honorable men would scorn and would would justly subject the party perpetrating it to the unmeasured contempt of the nation and the world. The people of Oregon, therefore, beg of you to aid in carrying out the written pledge of your party by the restoration of the former financial policy of the Government, which would result in the return of prosperity, the revival of industries and employment of the vast army of unemployed.

We have not heard whether or not the Vice-President was edified by the lecture that the Governor of Oregon, with such good taste, read to him, but, if we are to judge by his curt and indefinite answer, we may conclude that he estimated it at its true value. This is that answer:

In response to the words of the distinguished executive of this state, I can only say that, to the best of my abilities, I will endeavor to co-operate with those who, regardless of party, have in view the best interests of the common people of the land.

If Governor Pennoyer's skin is not as thick as that of a rhinoceros he would have felt the rebuke contained in this short and judicious reply to his hifalutin speech.

AN IMPORTANT APPOINTMENT.

The death of Senator Stanford placed upon the shoulders of the Governor of California a very serious responsibility. The Legislature of the State not being in session, it devolved upon Governor Markham to appoint a Senator in the late Leland Stanford's place. The Governor evidently did not undertake the duty with a light heart. He knows, as well as anyone, the importance of the present crisis in the United States, and he also knows that in the decision which Congress is called upon to make very much depends upon the composition of the Senate. It is not known with anything like certainty how the Senate will divide on the repeal of the Sherman Act, and it is believed that it is on the action of the Senate in that most important matter, the welfare of the United States in the immediate future, in a very great measure depends. It may so happen that the Senator appointed by Mr. Markham will have the power of deciding the question one way or the other. One vote in the Senate, as matters stand, may count for a very great deal.

There have been many conjectures as to the choice that the Governor of California would make. Several gentlemen of ability and influence have been named, and no doubt considerable pressure was, in one way or other, brought to bear on that official. He was, through the whole agitation, calm and serene. He never allowed the most remote hint of his intention to escape him. He declared more than once that his sole desire was to do what was best for his country. He wished so to perform his duty that his conscience would approve what he had done. He made his selection on the 22nd inst., and the man he chose to succeed Leland Stanford is George C. Perkins, ex Governor of California. The choice was unexpected, but it is approved by many who desired to see an honest and an able man, and one who has done the State good service, selected. He is a Republican in politics, but, though loyal to his party, he is evidently not regarded as an offensive or an unscrupulous partisan. Here is what the Examiner, which is a Democratic paper, says of the new Senator: "Governor Markham has taken abundant time to find such a senator as would meet the exacting requirements he formulated some time ago and he has met with a gratifying degree of success. Ex-Governor Perkins has not been active in politics of late years, but he is a solid, sensible business man, who can be trusted to look after the material interests of the State."

Like a great many of the public men of the United States Senator Perkins is self made. He has fought his way up with very few artificial advantages. He is a Yankee by birth, being a native of the State of Maine. He is by no means an old man, being born in 1839. He began life as a cabin boy, and he came to California in 1855 as a sailor before the mast. He was first a miner, then a teamster, and then a lumberman. In those early days he gained the respect and good will of the Californians, for in 1868, thirteen years after he landed in San Francisco, he was elected to the State Senate for Butte county. His career, both in politics and business, has been a successful one, and from all accounts he deserves both the money he has earned and the honors he has won.

THE EDUCATED WOMAN OF THE FUTURE.

"Will the educated woman marry?" was the question asked by Dr. Hirst, at Chautauqua, the other day. We are surprised that so learned a man as the Doctor would ask a question so easily answered. Of course, the educated woman of the future will marry. Human nature and Christian morality are not going to be educated out of the women of succeeding generations. Educated women, in the past, have acted, in the matter of marriage, very much like their uneducated sisters. Some have been sensible and made good matches, some have been capricious and married the men who, of all others, it appeared most unlikely that they would wed, and others have been, like thousands before them, wilful and imprudent, and made very hard beds for themselves. It does not seem that in the matter of marriage educated women have hitherto been particularly wise and careful. And it is not very likely that they will, as a class, be in the future at all wiser or more careful. The educated women who have occupied prominent positions in the world, have not all acted, in the matter of marriage, with that discretion and circumspection which one might expect from persons possessing more than an ordinary share of knowledge, and who have been trained to think. They have not, as Dr. Hirst expects the educated women o the future to do, weighed the men to whom they had taken a fancy, carefully and coolly in the balance of prudence, and brought their scientific knowledge to bear on the question whether to accept or refuse their suitors. They did not, we fear, coolly and dispassionately measure the men by what Dr. Hirst calls "correct standards," or judge them by the "high ideals" they had formed. They did not enter deeply into the philosophy of marriage, and they did not accept their lovers or reject them or physiological or psychological principles. The courtship of educated women in the past was not, as far as they were concerned, a kind of competitive examination, the decision being given according to the number of marks gained. The educated woman in love has never been, and we have a notion will never be, a cold-blooded philosopher, who pitilessly judged the candidate for her hand on his merits, physical and moral. The educated woman whom Dr. Hirst has drawn with such care, so elaborately, and not by any means too delicately, has never yet existed, and we take the liberty to predict never will exist. We know that there are educated women—just a few—who speak of marriage in a very unwomanly way. They are, thank Heaven, after all, very few. Woman to-day is very much as our fathers and grandfathers depicted her, and such it is almost certain she will remain. Prince Charming is not dead, and it is not likely that the dear delusion will ever die. It would be a dreadful thing for men, and for the human race, if the eyes of Love became microscopic in their power.

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Members' Handicap Singles—Entrance fee, $1 Prize value, $10. This event will begin on Monday 31st July, at 4 o'clock but the semi-finals and finals will be played during the tournament week. Entries for this event must be sent to the Secretary on or before Thursday, 27th July.
Gentlemen's Open Singles and Championship of British Columbia—Prize value, $20 and Championship Shield. Entrance fee $1
Gentlemen's Open Doubles—Prize value, $10 each. Entrance fee, $1 each player.
Ladies and Gentlemen's Open Doubles—Prize value, $10 each. Entrance fee, $1 each player.
Ladies' Open Singles—Prize given by the Club. Entrance fee, $1. No event unless five entries.
Ladies' Doubles—Each pair to be nominated by a member of the Club. Entrance fee $2.00 each pair.
Ladies and Gentlemen's Doubles—(Club handicap)—Prize given by the Club. Entrance fee $1 each pair.
Veteran's Singles—Members only—Age over 35 years. No event unless six entries. Prize value, $5.

Entries for the above events will be received by the Secretary on or before Wednesday, 2nd August and unless accompanied by the proper fees, will not be accepted.

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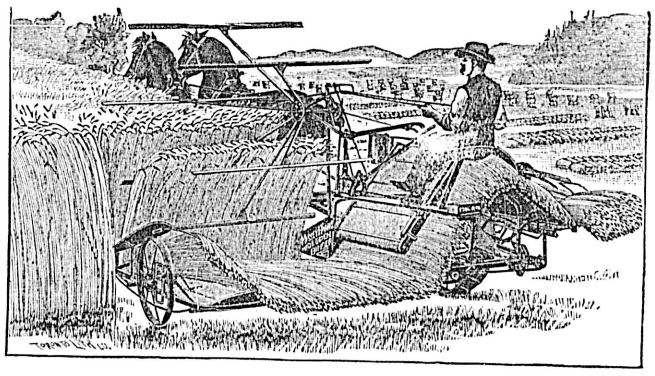

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TENDERS.

CITY OF VICTORIA,
BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Tenders for Debentures.

Sealed tenders, endorsed "Tenders for Debentures," will be received at the office of the undersigned on or before the 22nd August, 1893, for the purchase of Debentures of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, amounting to $85,000, in sums of $1000 each, payable in fifty years from 3rd July, 1893, and bearing interest from that date at the rate of 4½ per centum per annum, payable half yearly, with principal and interest payable in currency or its sterling equivalent at the rate of $4 86⅔ to the one pound sterling, at the Bank of British North America, either at New York, U.S.A., or Montreal or Victoria, Canada.

The tenderer must state the price net at Victoria which he will pay.

In addition to the net price the purchaser will have to pay the Corporation the interest at 4½ per centum per annum from July 3rd, 1893, to whatever date the money is received by the City Treasurer.

The above debentures are issued under authority of the Educational Loan by-law, 1893, with principal and interest secured by a rate on all ratable land and improvements in the Corporation of the City of Victoria.

The Corporation does not bind itself to accept any tender.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
City Clerk.
City Clerk's Office,
Victoria, B.C., 17th July, 1893. jy18

CITY OF VICTORIA,
BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Local Improvement Debentures.

Sealed tenders, endorsed "Tenders for Broad Street Local Improvement Debentures," will be received at the office of the undersigned on or before the 22nd August, 1893, for the purchase of Local Improvement Debentures amounting to $10,788, payable in ten years from November 24th, 1892, and bearing interest from that date at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, payable half yearly, with principal and interest payable at Victoria, B.C. The tenderer must state the net price at Victoria which he will pay.

In addition to the net price the purchaser will have to pay the Corporation the interest at 5 per cent. from 24th November, 1892, to whatever date the money is received by the City Treasurer.

The above Debentures are issued under authority of "The Broad Street Local Improvement By-law, 1892" and are secured by a special rate imposed by that by-law, and on that security only. The total assessed value of the whole real property ratable under the above by-law, according to the assessment roll of 1892, is $685,381.

The Corporation does not bind itself to accept any tender.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
City Clerk.
City Clerk's Office,
Victoria, B.C., July 17th, 1893. jy18

TENDERS

will be received by the undersigned for the purchase of his RESIDENCE at the corner of Boyd street and Luxton avenue, one block from Dallas Road, James Bay, up to Monday, the 31st July. The house comprises a wide entrance hall pannelled in cedar with open fireplace, dining-room pannelled in cedar, drawing-room, library, large kitchen, sculler, outer kitchen and pantries, five good bedrooms, large bathroom; all with modern conveniences. It stands on two lots with 100 feet frontage on both streets, with good tennis lawn and enclosed washing green.

The house may be viewed on Wednesdays and Saturdays from 2 to 6 p.m.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

jy18-6t P. McF. MACLEOD.

NAVAL CONTRACTS.

TENDERS will be received here on behalf of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, until noon of Tuesday, 1st of August next for supplying such quantities of Soft Bread, Salt Beef, Lime, Coffins and digging Graves, as may be required for Naval purposes.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Forms of tender can be obtained at this office.

JAMES H. INNES,
Naval Storekeeper.
Royal Naval Yard,
Esquimalt, 1st July, 1893. jy1

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

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THE CITY.

THE first brush fire of the season was reported from Spring Ridge yesterday.

ALD. MUNN has given notice of his intention to introduce a by-law amending the Streets by-law.

LOCAL jewelers closed their places of business at 7 o'clock last evening, and will continue to close at this hour for the remaining summer months.

HENRY HANSEN, employed as bootblack at the Driard, was arrested yesterday for the theft of a quantity of liquor, the major portion of which was found in his room.

THE case of Brook Naylor, charged with assault, was dismissed by Police Magistrate Macrae yesterday morning. A solitary drunk was convicted and discharged.

A MAN giving his name as Thomas Wilson was arrested yesterday by the city police, a charge of larceny being entered against him. He is believed to have stolen a wood saw.

FLEMING BROTHERS have just completed a highly artistic series of photographs of this year's officers and members of the Corrig College Cricket teams. These are attracting much attention and favorable comment, being on view in Messrs T. N Hibben & Co.'s store on Government street.

MR. RICHARD KENNY, manager for McLennan & McFeely, Victoria, and Miss Cassie Burnham, of Carrington, Ontario, were married in Vancouver on Tuesday, the 26th inst., and are now stopping for a few days at the Victoria hotel. The many friends of the bridegroom in this city wish them a happy and prosperous married life.

AT THE regular weekly meeting of the W.C.T.U., yesterday afternoon, it was decided to serve tea and sandwiches, as well as to distribute appropriate temperance literature, on the grounds, during the B C. Agricultural Association's August exhibition. The treasurer's report was read, and other business of an interesting nature disposed of.

A NOTICE, signed by Ald. W. D. McKillican, was posted on the City Hall bulletin board yesterday, announcing that in accordance with the terms of the advertisement inviting applications for the position of clerk to the corporation and published in the COLONIST of the 15th inst., Mr. W. C Pope be appointed to the position—clerk of the Police court.

SUPERINTENDENT HUSSEY returned yesterday from Nanaimo, where he was busy with the steamer Ina. Three of the Ina's crew were convicted on the first count and two upon the second, while the court set Monday for the hearing of argument on the liability of the steamer to confiscation for her illegal practices. She is a small craft, not a frequent visitor to Victoria, and valued at about $2,000.

THE inquest in the case of Samuel Steventon, who was thrown into the water by the capsizing of a boat near the Gorge, on Tuesday night, was begun, yesterday, by Coroner Hasell. Companions of the deceased and other witnesses to the accident were examined, and the case was continued until this afternoon, when other witnesses will testify. Coroner Hasell finds himself somewhat handicapped in making the investigation in a proper manner, by reason of a lack of the necessary assistance in summoning witnesses, no coroner's constable having been appointed to help in such cases as the present.

ALL the work of the Full Court was concluded yesterday, and the court adjourned to meet again when judgments are ready. The appeals heard yesterday were in Seeley v. Morse and Gabriel v. Mesher In Seeley v. Morse Mr. H D. Helmcken for the defendant moved to vary the decree so as to make it conform with a certain declaration of trust which had been accepted by both parties as a basis of settlement. The application was granted. In Gabriel v. Mesher the Attorney General applied to vary an order of the Divisional Court, which decided that the costs of the appeal to the Divisional Court must be paid before the plaintiff could have the new trial ordered He argued that the apparent intention of the court was to follow the usual practice, which was certainly not to make the successful plaintiff pay costs before he could get a new trial, when the findings of the jury had been reversed through no fault of the plaintiff The Court had no authority to impose such a condition. The Court, although of opinion that a wrong order had been made, decided it had no power to interfere. Mr. E. V. Bodwell appeared for the respondent.

MR. D. R KER returned from a two months' trip to Chicago and other American cities Thursday. During his absence, besides stopping at Denver, Omaha and other leading cities for a short time, he put in some time at the World's Fair. "I was there every day for three weeks," said Mr Ker, "and every time I visited the exposition grounds I saw something new. One might remain there for months and then not see all that is of interest. I called upon Commissioner Law, at the Canadian building, and was cordially received and very well treated. In my opinion Mr Law is a worthy representative of the province in the capacity he occupies, and he has worked indefatigably to make the exhibit of British Columbia a success. The agricultural and mineral resources of the province are creditable, the horticultural display good, but the exhibit of lumber was not what it might have been. Still, although the exhibit as a whole was not so remarkable for quantity, an expenditure of $10,000 will not provide for such an exhibit as ten times that amount would, the display was creditable." Mr. Ker visited the Thunder Hill mine near the headquarters of the Columbia on his return trip, and brought with him samples of the first concentrates. He reports that under the able management of Mr. James Brady, work is advancing at the mine, and shipments of concentrates will commence at once. The new plant has started up and will be running continuously for the next few weeks. The concentrator is about a mile and a half from the property and connected by a tramway. Judging from Mr. Ker's remarks, the Thunder Hill mine, which is very easily worked because no tunnels are required—the ore being reached by the method adopted in rock quarries—has a bright future.

ON the 26th instant at Victoria, Rev. Dr. Campbell united in marriage Mr. B W. Hilton and Miss J. A. Latimer, both of this city.

PRIDE OF THE WEST lodge, C O O.F., held a meeting last evening, at which they decided to hold a picnic at Oak Bay in the near future.

YESTERDAY'S Gazette contains the notice of the summer vacation of the New Westminster County court from the 1st of August to the 1st of October, inclusive.

PROF. W. H WILLIAMS, of the University of Wisconsin, a prominent religious teacher, has consented to deliver an address at the convention of the Y. M. C. A., to be held here in August.

MR J S. YATES, one of the Law Society benchers, held a preliminary examination yesterday of candidates for admission to the Law Society as students. The results will be announced in a few days.

PROVINCIAL POLICE OFFICER STEPHENSON has been sent by Superintendent Hussey to Saturna Island, to investigate the robbery of Mr Warburton Pike's island residence He will also look after the recent cases of sheep stealing reported.

DURING the absence from the Province of Hon. E Dewdney, Lieut Governor, the Minister of Finance and Agriculture, Hon J. H Turner, has been deputed to execute marriage licenses, money warrants or commissions under any statute of the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia.

PROVINCIAL OFFICER ROBB, who was recently sent to the Westminster asylum to be treated for a derangement of the brain, is reported as rapidly becoming himself again. His friends will hear with extreme pleasure that a permanent cure is not only a possibility, but a probability.

REV. W. D. BARBER, of St. Saviour's, united in the holy bonds of matrimony, Mr. Herbert Whiteside and Miss Minnie H. Stevenson, both of Victoria. The ceremony was performed yesterday at St. James' church, James Bay. The happy couple drove to a snug, newly furnished cottage, which they will make their future home.

Two of the firms affected by the tailors' strike, J. C. Leask & Co. and Gregg & Sons, came to an amicable settlement of the trouble with the Union yesterday. By mutual agreement the men decided to accept a reduction of ten per cent on the old prices, the new rate to continue for a year. The firm of G. R. Jackson still adheres to the determination to have nothing to do with the Union and will employ hands as they see fit.

REV. GEORGE YOUNG, D D., and wife, the former the well known Northwest missionary, arrived in town last night to spend a few weeks in the city. Dr Young will be the guest of Mr. H. Burkholder, whose acquaintance he formed when Winnipeg was a hamlet, then better known as old Fort Garry. Mr. Young, it will be remembered, strongly exerted himself to save the life of Thomas Scott in the days of the Provisional Government, and, being refused, begged the body to give it interment, which request was also refused.

REV. DR. CAMPBELL gave an address on Foreign Missions, last evening, under the auspices of the Mission Board of the First Presbyterian church. The devotional exercises were conducted by members of the Board, and the singing by Mr. Meston. The lecture room was well filled with young people. The doctor gave an outline of the progress of missions during the primitive, mediæval and modern periods; and in a racy manner sketched the work carried on by the Presbyterian Church in Central India, Honan, Formosa, Africa, the New Hebrides and Canada. He referred to the work of Livingston, Staritz, Moffatt, McKay of Uganda, Wilkie and Campbell at Indore, Dr. Smith and Goforth in China, Dr. McKay in Formosa, Dr Geddie at Anyfurn, Winchester in Victoria, and Mcdonald at Alberni.

MANAGER JAMIESON has arranged for the appearance at The Victoria theatre on Monday and Tuesday evenings next, and childrens' matinee Tuesday afternoon of Smallwell & Giovanni's Trained Animal Show, consisting of Shetland ponies, goats, monkies, birds and a complete dog circus of twenty educated dogs as performers, which should draw large audiences. A great feature of the entertainment will be the first appearance of the King of Bird Trainers, Giovanni, with his remarkable troup of twenty five trained tropical and Australian cockatoos of gorgeous plumage and almost human intelligence. The prince of these is "Shakespeare," the bird with the human brain, which has no equal in the animal or bird kingdom. He sings, talks, and plays on musical instruments, tells the time of day by a watch, tells ages, adds columns of figures and together with the other bird-performs tricks innumerable. "Jacko," the birds' clown, is a never-ending source of amusement throughout the entire performance, and is sure to please, amuse and entertain all alike, both young and old.

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A CHILD SAVED.

MY little boy was taken very bad with diarrhœa, he was very delicate and got so low we had no hope of his life, but a lady friend recommended Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, and although he could only bear a few drops at a time, he got well. It saved my child

MRS. WM. STEWART, Campbellville, Ont.

Big Diamonds.

There are plenty of diamonds found on Vancouver Island, especially around Nanaimo; but unfortunately they are not the right color. Pennock & Lowe the jewelers, will have some fine diamond goods when their stock arrives. In the meantime they are giving their time to manufacturing. *

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For nearly forty years Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry has been the leading and surest cure for cholera colic, diarrhœa, dysentery and all summer complaints. It is a record to be proud of.

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

First Day at Goldstream—Laurie Bugle Match Won by No. 3 Company.

Gaudaur Challenges Stansbury—Vancouver Oarsman Out for Honors—League Cricket.

The twentieth annual prize meeting of the B. C. Rifle association opened under excellent auspices at the Goldstream range yesterday morning, regular "bull's eye weather" prevailing the entire day. If a fault was to be found by anyone it was that the day was a little too bright for good shooting. Representatives from New Westminster, Nanaimo, the Royal Navy, 'C' Battery and a good muster of civilian marksmen, with the local companies B. C. B G. A., made up the entries, which were much more numerous than in any former year. The arrangements made by the association gave general satisfaction, and everything worked as smoothly as anyone could wish. Lieut. Chamberlain and Staff Sergt. J. C Newbury had the honor of making the possible at the 400 yards, while the match of the day, for the Laurie bugle, was captured by No. 3 company's team, with a score of 280, of which total Corp. A R. Langley and Corp A S. Hunter each contributed 59, Gr. W. P. Winsby being next, with 58 The results of yesterday's firing are set forth in detail below:

NO. 1.—NANAIMO CORPORATION MATCH.

Open to members of the association; Snider rifle; 400 yards; 7 rounds; cup presented by the Mayor and Council of Nanaimo, to be won twice in succession to entitle to final possession.

	Points.	Prize.
Lieut. Chamberlain, R L	34	Cup and $8 00
Gr. W. Duncan	33	6 00
Gr J. H Shannon	32	6 00
Gr. S A. Fletcher	32	4 00
Gr. F R Sargison	32	3 00
Corp A R. Langley	31	3 00
Mr. Gr. Bridgeford	31	2 50
Lieut. Williams	31	2 50
Gr. Turnbull	31	2 50
Gr. Winsby	30	2 00
Gr. A. E. Arundel	29	2 00
Gr. W. B. McInnes	29	2 00

NO. 2—NURSERY MATCH.

Open to members of the association who have not at any previous meeting of the association won a prize of $5 or upwards, exclusive of extra series prizes.

	Points.	Prize
Br. Shaw	32	$ 00
Pte Watson	29	4.00
Sergt. Corbett	29	3.00
Lt. Collard R M. L. I.	29	3.00
A Martin	29	2 50
F R Martin	28	2 50
Gr. W. Miller	28	2 00
Gr E. Brammer	28	2 00
R. Wilson	27	2.00

NO. 3—NEW WESTMINSTER MATCH.

Ranges, 200, 400 and 500 yards; five rounds at each range; rifle, Snider The Cup, presented by the late J. Howison, of New Westminster, to be won twice before becoming the property of any competitor.

	Points.	Prizes.
Stf.-Sergt. J C. Newbury	65	Cup and $10 00
Lt. Chamberlain	62	8 00
Gr. Arundel	62	6 00
A. Martin	61	5 00
Sgt. Corbett	60	4 00
Corp. A. S. Hunter	59	4 00
Corp. A. R Langley	59	3 00
Corp. W. Newbury	58	3 00
Gr. S. A. Fletcher	58	3 00
Gr. Winsby	58	2 50
Lt. Collard, R.M L.I.	58	2 50
B. S M. Blanchard	58	2 50
Lt. Gregory	57	2 50
W. Wall	57	2 00
Br Shaw, "C"	56	2 00
Senator McInnes	56	2 00
Gr Huston	55	2 00
J C Cornish	55	2 00
W. McGregor	55	2 00
Gr. R. Wilson	54	2 00

NO. 4—LAURIE BUGLE MATCH.

To be competed for by teams of five from any Battery or Company of the Active Militia of the District any Battery or Company being allowed to enter any number of teams. The Bugle presented by Lt.-Gen. Laurie, formerly D A.G., to be held by the winning team for the year.

No. 3 Company, Victoria.

Corp. A R. Langley	59
Gr W P. Winsby	58
Lt. F. B. Gregory	57
Lt. B. Williams	47
Corp A. S. Hunter	59
Total	280

No. 1 Company, New Westminster — First Team.

P. A. Turnbull	50
J C. Cornish	55
S. A Fletcher	58
W. Huston	55
A. Sharpe	50
Total	268

No. 1 Company, New Westminster—Second Team.

R Wilson	54
W. Miller	46
— Sloan	53
W. H Corbett	60
— Carma	47
Total	260

C Battery, R. C. A.

Mr. Gr. Bridgeford	54
Qr. Sgt. Prevost	40
Br. Holt	52
Br. Shaw	56
Br. Agius	48
Total	250

No. 2 Company, Victoria.

Lt. R. Monro	38
Gr F. R. Sargison	45
Gr E. Brammer	54
Gr. W. B McInnes	52
Corp C. W. Newbury	58
Total	247

The programme for to-day is even more interesting than that presented yesterday, being as follows:

8.30 to 1 p.m.—District Militia match, 200, 500 and 600 yards; 7 shots at each range.
8.30 to 1 p.m.—Helmcken match, 200, 500 and 600 yards; 7 shots at each range.
8.30 to 1 p.m.—Team match.
2 to 3.30 p.m.—Lieut.-Governor's match, 500 yard; 7 shots.
3.30 to 6 p.m.—Victoria Corporation match, 200 and 500 yards; 7 shots at each range.
Militia Aggregates close.

LACROSSE.

IT IS SAID.

VANCOUVER, July 27.—(Special).—It is stated in lacrosse circles that Archie Macnaughton has decided to locate in Vancouver, and become an active member of the Vancouver lacrosse team. Spain has also reconsidered his resignation. It is said Macnaughton may play in Saturday's match. McDonald, of the Westminster team, will be protested by Vancouver, being a registered member of the Vancouver club.

FOOTBALL.

SUSPENDED DURING THE DULL SEASON.

MONTREAL, July 27.—The Thistle football club has been suspended from the Canadian Association for failing to render a satisfactory account of its stewardship. The suspension will not be raised till October.

AQUATIC.

CANOEISTS GO CAMPING.

Members of the Victoria canoe club will find a number of their associates encamped at Esquimalt lagoon, to-morrow evening, the start being made at 2 o'clock in the afternoon from the club house. Some will likely go by way of the Gorge while others will take the outside course. Salmon are reported as plentiful in the Royal Roads just now, so that good sport is expected. Some of the yachtsmen, too, will, in all probability, go into camp with the canoeists, after the yacht race is over.

GAUDAUR WANTS THE CHAMPIONSHIP.

TORONTO, July 27.—Gaudaur to-day issued a challenge to Stansbury to row him three miles with a turn, for $2,500 a side and the championship of the world, or three miles straight-away for the same stake and the championship of the world, on any course Stansbury chooses.

A JUNIOR WANTS HONORS.

TO THE SPORTING EDITOR:—I will row any amateur oarsman in British Columbia under 18 years of age, (I myself being under that age,) one and a half miles in twenty foot lapstreak boats for a $15 or $20 trophy. This challenge is open for two weeks.

HARRY J. FRANKLIN.

Vancouver, B.C., July 27, 1893.

CRICKET.

VICTORIA C. C. V. ROYAL ARTHUR.

The Victoria C. C.'s eleven proved far too strong for the bluejackets of H.M S Royal Arthur in a match played yesterday afternoon, for by the time seven of their wickets fell they had compiled 127 runs. The innings was then declared closed and the sailors going in piled up 76 runs during their innings; 46 were by Lashley, whose wickets stood throughout the innings. The next match between the teams will take place next Thursday afternoon, commencing at 4.30 o'clock.

TO MEET THE ALBIONS.

The following eleven of the Victoria C C will play against the Albion C.C., on the latter's grounds, to-morrow afternoon, for the North Pacific League Cup: S. F. Morley, P. E Irving, G H. Holt, J C. Baff, H. Heath, P H. Paterson, E R D Applegath, W. A Ward, D. Doig, F G Foukes and B. H. T. Drake. The game commences sharp at 2 o'clock.

HERE AND THERE.

The cricket match between the Choir boys and the Juniors, yesterday afternoon, was postponed, owing to the former not being able to pick up a team.

SERGEANT LEVIN was congratulated last evening by U S. Consul Myers on the excellent police arrangements at the wharf when the City of Kingston arrived with the vice-presidential party on board.

ON June 13, 1893, between the hours of 6:54 a.m and 4:42 p m. (9 hours and 48 minutes), 807 messages were passed in one direction over one of the Commercial Cable Company's main Atlantic cables, 2,388 miles long, being an average of 82 2 messages per hour. This rate of speed of transmission has never been equalled.

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Important Notice.

The old and well-known firm of Lange & Co., Watchmakers and Jewelers, have removed their place of business from Government street to No. 86 Douglas street, where they will continue to sell off their stock at cost. All repairs of watches, and other orders sent us will be attended to as usual. *

Resources of British Columbia.

The new pamphlet published by the Provincial Government on the above subject, may be purchased at Hibben & Co.'s book store. jy12

NEW BOOKS.

"British Columbia, Its Present Resources and Future Possibilities" $0.25
"Tip," by Douglas 0.50
"Wolfenberg," by William Black 0.75
"Two Loyal Lovers," by Johnson 0.50
"Appleton's Guide Book to Alaska" 1.50
"Coffee and Repartee," by Bangs 0.50
"Kirk and Hitchie's Abstract of Mineral Claims," Slocan, B.C. 2.00
"Becker's Sterling Advance Tables," for importers 1.50
For sale by T. N. Hibben & Co.

IT SAVED HIS LIFE.

GENTLEMEN,—I can recommend Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry for it saved my life when I was about six months old. We have used it in our family, when required, ever since, and it never fails to cure all summer complaints. I am now fourteen years of age

FRANCIS WALSH, Dalkieth, Ont.

UNDER MASONIC RITES.

The Remains of W. S. Mellen Escorted to the Steamer by Knights Templar.

W. S. Mellen, general manager of the Northern Pacific railway, who died in this city at 12:30 o'clock yesterday morning, having arrived on the City of Kingston Wednesday evening from Tacoma, was one of a pleasure party of personal friends, whose purpose was to ascertain the possibilities of British Columbia and view the scenery. Mr, Mellen was accompanied by M. Bacon, his private secretary; J. W. Kendrick, chief engineer of the Northern Pacific Railway; F. B. Howell, Courtland Howell and E S Alexander. The party repaired to the Driard Hotel, where dinner was served, after which a drive was had about the city. On returning about 9 o'clock, Mr. Mellen complained of feeling ill. When he entered his room his pale countenance and weak condition caused observers to believe that his illness was of a serious nature. After entering his room Mr. Mellen paced up and down with his hand pressed over his heart, and in response to the porter's question, inquiring if assistance was required, he replied:

"No, I have neuralgia of the heart and you can do nothing to help me."

A short time afterward he was dead. Mr. Kendrick and Mr. Bacon were present when Mr. Mellen breathed his last and used all possible means to revive him, but their efforts were of no avail. A physician was called, but his decision was that nothing could have been done to prolong Mr. Mellen's life.

The remains were embalmed and removed to the Masonic Temple, whence they were taken to the steamer City of Kingston to be conveyed to St. Paul, Minn., for interment. An escort composed of Knights Templar in uniform attended the remains to the steamer, and Brother Rev. M. C. Browne, chaplain, officiated at the funeral ceremonies, which were conducted according to Masonic rites. Mrs Mellen and three children, who are visiting at West Superior, were informed of the sad event, as well as the officials of the Northern Pacific

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No 555 Corset, Drab, $1.25
No. BBB Corset, Black, $1 50.
Wedding Corsets, C. V. B., $2 50.
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Ladies' Jackson Hygiene Waists, $1 90.

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W. H. BAINBRIDGE,
Secretary, Government Street, Victoria.

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AMERICAN NEWS.

Alger Says Harrison Was Misreported on the Financial Situation.

Northern Pacific Cutting Expenses—Execution of a Brutal Mexican Colonel.

Whitecaps Pacified.

NYACK, N.Y., July 27.—The marriage of old John Medly and young Jennie Shelley has just ended a scandal that greatly worried the good people of Sloughsborough. Medly is a shoemaker, aged 58. After the death of his wife, aged 70, some three months ago, his household affairs became confused, and pretty Jenny Shelley, a 16 year-old grandaughter of the deceased wife, became housekeeper. The neighbors took offence at what they regarded as a scandalous affair, especially as it became noised about that Jennie was Medly's own granddaughter, and the two were threatened with tar and feathers by a Whitecap committee. Mr. Medly and his fair young housekeeper endured this treatment for a time, but finally went to Squire Wanamaker's and got married. No sooner had they returned home and bolted themselves in, than a detachment of the tar-and-feather brigade appeared, and attempted to get hold of the aged bridegroom. When it was announced through a crack in the door that the two had been married, and when this announcement was supplemented by two crisp bills thrown from a window, with a request that the crowd drink to the health of the bride and bridegroom at the neighboring tavern, the completely mollified Whitecaps stole away.

Harrison's Reported Utterances.

DETROIT, Mich., July 27.—General Alger, when shown a reported interview with ex-President Harrison concerning the financial situation, said he did not believe Mr Harrison had been correctly reported. "He has too much sense to make such utterances. The country is full of wealth, but is kept in this present condition by utterances like those purporting to come from ex-President Harrison, but not from men who have the good sound sense that he is believed to carry about with him."

Convict Labor in the South.

NEW ORLEANS, July 27.—The planters of East Carroll parish have held a meeting to protest against the action of the board in giving the contract for the construction of the new Wyly levee to the penitentiary lessees. They say that if the work is done by convicts their hands will have nothing whatever to do this fall, as the crops are all washed away, and that most of them will emigrate from the parish. A committee was appointed to wait on the governor and protest against the employment of convict labor on the levees.

Northern Pacific Retrenchments.

ST. PAUL, July 27.—The appeals of the Northern Pacific stockholders for more careful management, has induced President Oakes to make retrenchment. On Wednesday thirty men were discharged from the auditing department alone. Other departments will be cut down in proportion. The train service has also been greatly reduced. The management says a reduction of expenses is made necessary by the reduced rates which the Great Northern has compelled it to make, and also by the difficulty experienced in floating $12,000,000 worth of bonds, which are now on the market.

The New York Poisoner.

CHICAGO, July 27.—One of the most important witnesses against Dr. Meyer will be Mrs. Charles Miller, who, accompanied by her husband, left for New York on Tuesday. She was employed by the doctor at Toledo. Dr. Myer advised her to take out a life insurance policy, which she did. A few weeks later she became ill, and Dr. Meyer prescribed for her. The medicine brought on severe pains. Both Dr. Meyer and his wife then left the house. A neighbor summoned a physician and her life was saved.

Mexican Politician Shot.

CITY OF MEXICO, July 27.—Colonel Jose Andrado, who, during the administration of the late General Manuel Gonzales as governor of Guana Jualo, was first official of the Pomragorao district in that state, was arrested a few days ago on the charge of committing a number of atrocities while serving in his official capacity. It was alleged that he shot a number of innocent persons without trial. Upon being arrested Colonel Andrado was conveyed to the city of Leon, where he was given a trial. He was found guilty of the charges against him and ordered to be shot. When the death sentence was pronounced the prisoner said he was no coward. He was shot at daylight in the public square of the city, the execution being witnessed by hundreds of people.

Whitney on the Sherman Law.

NEW YORK, July 27.—The World this morning publishes an interview from Beverly farm, Mass., with ex-Secretary of the Navy Whitney on the financial situation. Among other things he said: "I agree with Mr. Cleveland that simple repeal of the Sherman law, without amendment or substitute, is the only thing to be considered now, but I do not wish to be regarded as considering the repeal of the Sherman law a permanent cure for our national ills. The currency question is not the most vital one with which we have to deal. The country's prosperity will never be permanently established while an annual tax of three or four hundred millions is laid upon its industries. National taxes being levied as they are the general mass of the people—the producing and industrial classes and the great body of merchants, tradesmen and professional men—pay fifteen times as much tax, in proportion to their means, as the rich men.

"There lies the secret of national distress; the only permanent remedy is a re-adjustment of this great burden of taxation and equalizing its pressure upon all alike."

Commercial Travellers' Day.

CHICAGO, July 26.—To-day is commercial travellers' day at the World's Fair, and Jackson Park probably contains more of that class than ever before gathered in one place. They arrived by twos and threes, by car-loads, train-loads and boat-loads. The celebration was begun with a meeting at Festival hall at 11 o'clock, when the delegates were welcomed to the city and the freedom thereof was given them in a characteristic speech by Mayor Harrison. John C. Fennimore, of Ohio, then addressed his brother "knights of the grip" on "The World's Committee of Commerce," and W. F. Mitchell, of Iowa, followed with some reminiscences of previous gatherings of the fraternity. After listening to several informal addresses, the drummers separated for lunch. Many special features have been arranged by the management for their entertainment this afternoon and evening, including a parade of the various savage colonies of the Plaisance and the destruction of $1,500 worth of fireworks tonight.

Triple Tragedy.

PITTSBURG, Pa., July 26.—A fearful triple tragedy was enacted here early this morning, two children and their mother meeting their fate at the hands some fiend. It was about 2 a.m. when the South Side fire department was called out to extinguish a slight fire in the house of John Smouse, who lived on Oak alley on the side of the hill. The fire was small, and the men had no difficulty in extinguishing it. Some members of the department, on looking about the house, were horrified to see three bodies lying close to one another. They were those of Smouse's family, the wife and two small children. There were three deep dents in the poor woman's head, which showed she had first been struck deadly blows from behind, then the murderous work was finished with some blunt instrument.

Big Post Office Robbery.

NEW YORK, July 26.—The post office inspectors of New York state that with the assistance of those along the entire line between this city and Portland, Ore., they are working on an almost mysterious and extensive mail robbery. Over fifty registered letters were stolen from a pouch sent from the Portland post office to New York city. The mail bag is supposed to have been tampered with by some one connected with the railway mail service, for had it been done by an outsider the post office people think that discrimination would not have been shown in the selection of the letters. The pouch was in perfect order and properly sealed when placed in the mail car at Portland Ore., on the 12th inst. It contained several hundred registered letters. It arrived at the Grand Central depot here aboard fast train 14, and the robbery was not discovered until the pouch was delivered at the post office. The value of the contents of the missing letters is not known.

YATES' LETTER.

News of British Royalty, Society and Politics—Honors for Duke of York.

The "Ground Rent" Campaign—Gladstone and Parliamentary Pressure.

NEW YORK, July 27.—Edmund Yates cables the following from London: I hear that the Queen intends to make the investiture of the Duke of York as a Knight of the Thistle a ceremony of considerable state. It will take place at Balmoral in the autumn. The Duke and Duchess of York will probably pay a a visit in the autumn to the King and Queen of Wurtemburg at Frederichshafen, where their majesties have arrived for a stay of three months.

The Queen intends to confer the Order of the Garter upon King William and she will likely commission the Duke of York to invest him with the ribbon and insignias. Emperor William is expected to arrive at Cowes on Saturday next. His majesty is not coming on a visit to the Queen at Osborne, as has been stated, but will live on board his yacht during his stay. The Queen intends giving him a large dinner party in the Indian room at Osborne, on Monday, July 31, at which the Duchess of York and other members of the royal family will be present. During the three following days the emperor will be occupied with the races, in which his yacht, the Meteor, will take part, and that vessel is believed to have a good chance of winning the Queen's Cup trophy, which her owner is very anxious to secure.

On Wednesday the Prince of Wales will probably entertain the Emperor at dinner on board the Victoria and Albert, and on Thursday it is expected that His Majesty will give a dinner party on board the imperial yacht. On Friday the Queen will give another dinner party at Osborne, and on the evening of Saturday, August 5, it is expected that the Emperor will leave in his yacht for Germany. His movements, however, are always uncertain.

Lords Salisbury, Rosebery and the hereditary Prince of Hohenlohe will be among the guests at Osborne during the imperial visits.

The American millionaire who has gained some notoriety this week by putting down £5 000 as a first instalment to a fund of £20,000 for the "ground rent" campaign is not Andrew Carnegie, as so many have said. It is, as I have every reason to believe, A. J. Moxham, a native of Glamorganshire, who recently returned from New York with considerable wealth. He is in close touch with several of the Welsh Parliamentary party, and it is quite possible that other causes besides ground rents will benefit by his generosity.

No one seems to have stood the ordeal of division after division in the crowded and intolerably hot parliament lobby this session better than Mr. Gladstone. For days and weeks together the lobbies have been like ovens, and not a few members must have wished that this "too, too solid flesh would melt" a little under such conditions, but the Premier has throughout looked as cool as a cucumber. Recently, one of his ardent Welsh supporters, Herbert Lewis, tried to persuade Gladstone, who was sitting on the edge of a table in the Government lobby, to take his chair. Gladstone declined with thanks. Lewis repeated his offer and Gladstone persisted in his refusal of the offer of his young follower. Very often Gladstone avails himself of the writing table in the division lobby to dash through a portion of his private correspondence for the day.

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THE Columbia River steamers from the C. P. R. or N. P. R. lines will land prospectors or investors at Lardeau, where First-Class Hotels and Supply Stores are situated. Pack trains run from this point, and saddle horses can be procured. The distance from Lardeau to Trout Lake is from twelve to fourteen miles. The distance to Trout Lake over a poor trail from the nearest point on Kootenay Lake is over sixty miles. The advantage is obvious. Lardeau is also the Headquarters and Entrance point to the Fish Creek Mines. A glance at the map of Kootenay will show that the above statements are correct.

For full particulars apply to the undersigned.

ROBT. IRVING, TRUSTEE,
VICTORIA, B.C.

D. F. DOUGLAS, Resident Agent,
LARDEAU, B.C

NOTICE

Is hereby given that at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners, on the second Wednesday in September next, application will be made to the Board that the temporary permission for the transfer of the retail liquor license, issued under Subsection 1 of Section 201 of the Municipal Act, 1892, to Messrs. Meunier, Brown & Fox, for the premises known as the Caledonia Saloon, situated on the southeast corner of Store and Cormorant streets, in the City of Victoria, granted on the 19th day of June last past, by the Mayor, under authority of section 221 of the said Act, may be ratified and extended, and that the said license may be transferred to Messrs. Joseph H. Brown and H. M. Fox.

Dated this 18th day of July, 1893, at the City of Victoria.

JOSEPH MEUNIER.
JOS. H. BROWN.
H. M. FOX.

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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the Victoria Brewing & Ice Company (Limited Liability), and the Phoenix Brewery Company (Limited Liability), are required to send in same at once.

And all persons indebted to the aforesaid Companies are requested to make payment of such indebtedness at the offices of the Victoria-Phoenix Company, 19 to 195 Government street, Victoria, before the 1st day of September, 1893, after which all outstanding accounts will be placed in our solicitor's hands for collection.

Dated this 25th day of July, A.D. 1893.

VICTORIA BREWING & ICE CO.,
Limited Liability.
PHOENIX BREWERY CO.,
Limited Liability.

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NOTICE

Is hereby given that a Special General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Nakusp & Slocan Railway Company will be held at the head office of the Company, Fort street, in the City of Victoria, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon on Wednesday, the 16th day of August, 1893, for the purpose of authorizing the Directors of the Company to issue bonds to the amount of $25 000 per mile of the said railway, under Section 93 of the Railway Act.

Dated this 15th day of July, 1893.

A. J. WEAVER BRIDGMAN,
Secretary-Treasurer.

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Dissolution of Partnership.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership lately subsisting between the undersigned, John Robert Kerr and Roderick Begg, doing business on Government street, in the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, under the name and style of Kerr & Begg, has been dissolved by mutual consent, and all persons indebted to us are authorized and directed to pay the amount of their accounts to John Robert Kerr, to whom they have been assigned, who will carry on the business at the old stand in his own name.

JOHN ROBERT KERR.
RODERICK BEGG.

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NOTARY PUBLIC,
Accountant & Agent
48 LANGLEY ST.
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THE PROVINCIAL CONTROVERTED ELECTIONS ACT AND AMENDMENT ACT.

In the Election Petition for Cariboo Electoral District, holden on the 24th day of August, 1892, in which William Morrison is Petitioner and Hugh Watt is Respondent.

Notice is hereby given that the above Petitioner has, on the 15th day of July, 1893, lodged in the office of the Registrar of the Supreme Court in Victoria notice of an application to withdraw the petition, of which notice the following is a copy:

"IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

"The Provincial Controverted Elections Act "and Amendment Act.

"Election for Cariboo Electoral District, "holden on the 24th day of August in the year "1892.

"Between William Morrison, Petitioner,
"and
"Hugh Watt, Respondent.

"The petitioner proposes to apply to withdraw "his petition upon the following ground namely, that since the day when the signed petition "was presented several persons who are the "most important witnesses on the petitioner's "behalf have departed entirely out of the reach "of the petitioner, and it is now impossible to "obtain their testimony, and prays that a day "may be appointed for hearing his application.

"Dated this 27th day of May, 1893.

"WM MORRISON."

And take notice that by the Rule made by the Judges any person who might have been a petitioner in respect of the said election, may within five days after publication by the Returning Officer of this notice, give notice in writing of his intention on the hearing to apply for leave to be substituted as a petitioner.

ROBERTS & TAYLOR,
30 Langley street, Victoria,
Agents for the Petitioner

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Dated this 18th day of July, 1893, at the City of Victoria.

JOS. H. BROWN.
JOSEPH MEUNIER.

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NOTICE

Is hereby given that the partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned as Grocers and Provision Merchants in the City of Victoria, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to the said partnership are to be paid to Frederick Carne, Junr, at Victoria aforesaid, and all claims against the said partnership are to be presented to the said Frederick Carne, Junr, by whom the same will be settled.

Dated at Victoria, this 28th day of June, A.D. 1893.

FREDERICK CARNE, JR.
WILLIAM MUNSIE.

Witness—F. A. GOWEN.

Mr. Munsie will hereafter devote his attention to the selling business, in which he is already largely interested, and will in the future, as in the past, be found at the office of Carne & Munsie.

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NOTICE.

During my absence from British Columbia Mr. Alex. J. Mount, of the Transfer Co'y, Victoria, holds my full power of attorney.

G. BYRNES.

Victoria, April 4th, 1893. ap4-4m

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" Comox for Valdez Island, every alternate Thursday, 7 a.m. (returning same day.)
" Comox for Nanaimo, Friday, 7 a.m.
" Nanaimo for Victoria, Saturday, 7 a.m.

For freight or state rooms apply on board, or at the Company's ticket office, Victoria Station Store street.

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The names of the said Physicians can be had on application at the Victoria Transfer Stables.

H. M. YATES,
Secretary.

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ALLAN CAMERON, Agent.

GEO. McL. BROWN,
District Passenger Agent,
Vancouver. fe23

C. P. Navigation Co., Limited.

TIME TABLE NO. 20

Takes effect June 1st, 1893.

Vancouver Route:

Victoria to Vancouver—Daily, except Monday, at 3 o'clock a.m.

Vancouver to Victoria—Daily, except Monday, at 15.15 o'clock, or on arrival of C.P.R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route:

LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island—Sunday at 23 o'clock; Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock. Sunday' steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R. train No. 2 going east Monday.

For Plumper's Pass—Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock.

For Moresby and Pender Islands—Friday at 7 o'clock.

For Sidney—Wednesday, at 7 o'clock.

LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria—Monday at 15 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Plumper Pass—Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Pender and Moresby Islands and Sidney—Thursday at 7 o'clock.

Northern Route:

Steamships of this Co. will leave for Fort Simpson and intermediate ports the 1st and 15th of each month at 18 o'clock. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

Barclay Sound Route:

Steamer Maude leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound Ports the 1st and 15th of each month.

The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification.

JOHN IRVING, Manager
G. A. CARLETON, General Agent.
Victoria, May 28th, 1893.

GUIDES NOT NEEDED.

CHAPERONS HAVE THEIR ABUSES AS WELL AS THEIR USES.

An Espionage Practiced Largely by Anglomaniacs and Those Who Have Lived Long In Foreign Lands—Countess Norraikow on an Interesting Topic.

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CHAPERONS are a class of people not at all to be despised, for like every other element of society they have their uses as well as their abuses.

There are in England two classes of chaperons—professional and nonprofessional. The former, as is well known, sells its service for filthy lucre, while the latter belongs to all walks of life and would treat with scorn any offer of compensation for its kindly acts. To the nonprofessional chaperon it is a delightful condescension to feel that she can safely launch a young and untried girl into the whirlpool of society.

Among these classes we find the newly made wife, who likes to exploit the authority which matrimony has conferred upon her by assuming the charge of her unmarried girl friends. Then there is the shabby genteel widow of an army or navy officer, who proclaims herself the offshoot of some noble family and plumes herself upon that distinction. Her charges are usually selected from middle class English life.

In France the term chaperon conveys an entirely different meaning. The governess in that sunny clime plays a dual role, for she must everywhere accompany the maiden intrusted to her care. In France, as in England, the introduction of a young girl into society is an important episode in her career, especially if she have wealth and be also the happy possessor of high connections. These lend their aid to make the event as brilliant as possible.

The most particular of all countries in this respect is Spain, whose sunny daughters are watched with a never tiring eye. They are not permitted to step beyond the home limits without a watchful attendant at their side. But the Spanish girl, in one respect at least, is no different from her sister of other climes, for despite the diligent care bestowed upon her she finds many opportunities to telegraph loving glances to the opposite sex.

The chaperoning of young ladies in Russia is somewhat different from that which obtains in other countries. It is not that the Russian girl is permitted more freedom, but that she demands it and insists on having it. Among the nobility this system of espionage is carried out with more or less stringency. The college students demand perfect liberty of action as well as freedom of thought. Otherwise how could so many of them become embroiled in the acts of the liberal thinkers of that empire? The daughters of the merchant or middle class have very little social life which calls for the service of a chaperon. The swatka, or matchmaker, takes her place. The daughter of the household is seldom permitted to be a free agent in the business of husband choosing. Her opportunities are circumscribed, and she perforce yields to the wishes of her parents.

In Germany this matter is viewed from a very practical standpoint, and until the engagement of the young lady is announced the services of a chaperon are constantly called into play. The German life, like the English, is essentially a home one, and many of the same restrictions encircle both.

But in England the business of chaperoning is carried on to a greater extent and under more peculiar conditions. English girls, as a rule, are kept in the nursery, so to speak, till they are past their seventeenth or eighteenth year. Their time is entirely given up to study and a sort of maternal care of their younger brothers and sisters. It is only in rare cases that some particular study is taken up, with the object of delving deep into its mysteries. The knowledge acquired is usually superficial and fits the girl for little more than the duties of a good wife and mother. Her entrance into society, no matter to what class she belongs, is a marked event in her life. The mother, if alive, is always supposed to lend her gracious presence to the occasion. If it be otherwise, some female friend is deputed to perform the duty of sponsor. This custom applies to all classes of society, from the highest to the lowest.

We are speaking of nonprofessional chaperons. The professional belongs to quite a different sphere. She offers her services for money and sells herself to the highest bidder for whatever of distinction she is able to carry into her work. It has been variously hinted that ladies taking high rank in London's social circles have been found among this latter class, but this statement is not announced as a fact, for the reason that unworthy motives are often attributed to the doer of a generous act. This is especially the case if the lady have high rank and but little money to sustain the dignity of her position.

Rich Americans have of late years become somewhat of a prey to the professional chaperon. This is only when friends are lacking on the other side, and the young lady anxious to enter good European society finds it imperative to have some one who will vouch for her. Some funny stories involving both sides have been told in reference to this matter, but it is not well to give credence to all one hears. The higher classes of society on both continents are becoming so intermingled through marriage that this necessity of American maidens will soon be done away with. The youth, beauty and wealth of the American girl are being gradually engrafted upon the nobility of the eastern continent.

The question of chaperoning in America has but recently acquired serious dimensions. It is practiced chiefly by anglomaniacs and those who have spent the greater part of their lives in foreign lands. Here in America the daughters of the household are as free as the birds of the air. Restrictions in their case are very slight, for the reason that the girls of this country are taught to be thoroughly independent, self reliant and above all honorable in their actions. The young ladies of the present day take part in almost as many athletic sports as do their brothers. The commingling of the sexes which results from this and the rivalry which it engenders render the American girl keenly conscious of her powers and the privileges of her sex. She learns to stand up for her rights and always insists upon getting them.

Such a girl needs not a chaperon, for she is perfectly capable of taking care of herself. I do not mean by this that parties of young ladies, especially before they reach the age of 20, should attend public places without escort. As a governing power controls everything in the universe, so is it necessary that an older person of the same sex accompany them, not so much from the fear that the young ladies will disregard or willfully break any of the social laws, but rather that they may have some one to look up to in emergencies.

While much may be said in favor of the chaperon system of Europe and America, yet it has its pernicious side. If the chaperon be a woman of social position and thoroughly honorable, all is well; but I regret to say that much underhand and disgraceful conduct is often condoned by unscrupulous guardians. This applies more especially to Europe. America is "the land of the free and the home of the brave," and the American girl, in every step that she takes, emphasizes that fact.

Nowhere else in the world are women permitted the same freedom or treated with the same respect by the opposite sex as in this country. The children are called precocious and the young ladies self assertive and independent, but this is owing to their training, which they receive from their earliest infancy. Watch two children of the same family at play together—the one a boy and the other a girl—and you will soon see that the boy has been taught to revere and respect his sister. He willingly gives up his toys to humor her slightest whim and in all things treats her with the greatest consideration. This fosters in the girl a spirit of independence—nay, even of command—toward the opposite sex. She knows she will not be insulted, no matter what she may choose to say, for the American man has profited by the training given to the boy. What need, then, of a chaperon, in the European sense, for the American girl? She does not require such espionage, since among her moral attributes honesty is invariably the controlling principle which forms the basis of her conduct.

COUNTESS NORRAIKOW.

A Promising Singer.

An American girl who gives much promise of a brilliant career as a professional singer is Miss Rose L. Steinitz of New York city. Miss Steinitz is studying in Paris with Vianesi. After a year under his training she has received offers of engagements from the London and Brussels opera houses. However, she will not make her debut for two years, following the advice of Mme. Patti, who says, "The mistake made by many singers is in appearing before they have been thoroughly trained." Miss Steinitz's voice—a dramatic mezzo soprano—possesses all the qualities necessary to insure success, being at the same time gentle, strong, supple, warm and of a depth resembling that of Mme. Lucca. Although but 20 years of age, she sings in English, German, French and Italian.

ROSE STEINITZ.

She is of distinguished appearance, being tall and graceful, with large and expressive brown eyes, a fine complexion and auburn hair. An interesting fact connected with Miss Steinitz is that whatever success she may have as an artist will be altogether due to her own energy and pluck. She had always sung, but during the operatic season of 1891, when Vianesi was conducting the Italian opera at the Metropolitan Opera House in New York, she determined to find out if her voice was extraordinary. After singing for him she asked for an honest opinion. He immediately detected a rare voice and induced her parents to permit her to go abroad and study under him. In speaking of her voice Vianesi said:

"It has always been my ambition to bring out a really great voice, and at last I have found one."

LAURA OLIVIA BOOTHE.

Michigan granted full municipal suffrage to women shortly after Ohio had voted down even school suffrage for them. Alas, Ohio!

A SICKENING FAILURE.

Scene of an Auburn Electrocution an Absolute Chamber of Horrors.

Breakdown of the Apparatus the Cause of Terrible Suffering.

AUBURN, N Y., July 27.—An execution by the electric method took place here today, which marked a complete failure of the apparatus provided by the State, and which turned the scene in the death chamber to one of absolute horror to the spectators The murderer in hand was a colored man, William Taylor, convicted of the cold-blooded killing of a fellow convict. It was 12:40 o'clock when the warden invited the witnesses to follow him to the death chamber When all was ready the signal was given and the current was turned on. Taylor's powerful frame shot back and up in the chair, until the straps creaked and simultaneously there was a crash, unlike anything heard before. The strain upon the boot rest, had broken and the under pinning of the chair gave away. The body sank to a receding posture, with the feet resting on the floor. The spectators were startled but did not move. Everybody supposed the victim was dead from the first shock, when a strange noise was heard Taylor began to gasp for breath and saliva was seen to exude from his mouth "Turn on the current," was the command of the Warden, and Electrician Davis tried to obey, but was dumbfounded to find no response to the turning of the lever; the dynamo had broken down. The labored breathing of the victim continued and his chest rose and fell convulsively. Davis hastened outside to the dynamo to ascertain the trouble and found the armature had burned out and could be used no more that day. The victim was now gasping and groaning aloud He was unbound and placed upon a cot and carried into the adjoining room His pulse grew stronger and he endeavored several times to rise from the cot. The physicians said he was unconscious when taken from the chair, precisely like a man with apoplexy. He would recover, they thought, and the only way to carry out the sentence of the law was to again place him in the chair. Linemen quickly connected the prison apparatus with the city electric light plant, and in an hour all way ready for the second electrocution. Taylor continued to grow stronger, and was given an injection of morphine. A small dose of chloroform was also given; he was then carried bodily to the chair, which had been repaired, and was strapped into a sitting posture. The current was then turned on, the body strrightened up, and for half a minute 1,240 volts coursed through Taylor's form. He was then pronounced dead.

HEATING THE NEW SCHOOLS.

TO THE EDITOR:—I regret that in your report of last night's meeting of the School Trustees you very much overstated the views I expressed in regard to what is known as the "Smead-Dowd" system of heating and ventilation, by the rather sweeping remark that I "knew of nothing that equalled the Smead-Dowd system of hot air heating." As a general principle I have not, hitherto, favored hot-air heating, but for such buildings of public assembly as schools, theatres and churches, where ventilation is an all important point, I am satisfied that no simpler, cheap , or more effective combined system has been devised. At the same time I suggested, as was finally adopted by the Board, that, if the necessary drainage could be arranged, water-closets be substituted for the Smead-Dowd system of dry closets, thereby doing away with the greatest objection that has been raised to the system.

I may say further, as I said last night, that for private houses, offices, hospitals, etc., I greatly prefer steam or hot water.

W. RIDGWAY WILSON.

SCHOOL TRUSTEES.

TO THE EDITOR:—The action of a bare majority of our incomplete Board of School Trustees is attracting almost universal and unfavorable comment in James Bay ward, as well as elsewhere. There appears to be a very general feeling of disgust in our ward over the selection of a school site so far away from the scholars' homes, and arbitrarily placed in the midst of those whose children do not attend a public school.

Surely it is time a ward meeting was called to protest against such peculiar proceedings. Instead of clamoring for a fellow-trustee's resignation, why do not the trustees call ward meetings, to ascertain from the public, who elected them, and whose children use these schools, where the school should be located? If the trustees still continue to disregard the voice of the people, their resignations, also, would be in order.

A JAMES BAY PARENT.

EXPERT TESTIMONY.

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Notice to Water Consumers

The attention of Consumers of Water supplied from the City Water Works is hereby drawn to Section 19 of the "Waterworks Regulation By-Law, 1885," which provides that

From the 1st day of April to the 13th day of September, both inclusive, in each year, no consumer of the water of the said Waterworks shall use such water for irrigating or street sprinkling except during the hours between 5 o'clock in the evening and 9 o'clock in the following morning, and on the respective days hereinafter mentioned, namely:

IN CENTRAL WARD, on Mondays and Thursdays.

IN SOUTH WARD, on Tuesdays and Fridays; and

IN NORTH WARD, on Wednesdays and Saturdays.

And the water of the said Waterworks shall not be used for irrigating or for street sprinkling outside the limits of the said City.

By order,

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
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City Clerk's Office,
Victoria, B.C., June 5th, 1893. jy27

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No. 199.

A BY-LAW

To Authorize the Sale of Lands within the City of Victoria upon which Taxes have been due and in arrear for two years.

WHEREAS it is expedient that all lands or improvements or real property within the limits of the Corporation of the City of Victoria upon which municipal taxes have been due and in arrear for two years shall be sold and the proceeds applied in the reduction of such taxes:

Be it therefore enacted by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. The Collector of the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria is hereby authorized and directed whensoever taxes on any land or improvements or real property have been due for two years preceding the current year to submit to the Mayor of the City of Victoria a list, in duplicate, of all the lands or improvements or real property liable, under the provisions of this by-law, to be sold for taxes, with the amount of arrears against each lot set opposite to the same, and the Mayor shall authenticate such list by affixing thereto the seal of the Corporation and his signature, and one of such lists shall be deposited with the Clerk of the Corporation and the other shall be returned to the Collector with a warrant thereto annexed under the hand of the Mayor and the seal of the Corporation commanding him to levy upon the land or improvements or real property for the arrears due thereon with his costs.

2. It shall not be the duty of the collector to make enquiry before offering a sale of lands or improvements or real property for taxes to ascertain whether or not there is any distress upon the land, nor shall he be bound to enquire into or form any opinion of the value of the land or improvements or real property.

3. The Collector shall prepare a copy of the list of lands or improvements or real property to be sold and shall include therein in a separate column, a statement of the proportion of costs chargeable on each lot for advertising and for the commissions authorized by this by-law to be paid to him, and shall cause a copy of such list to be printed for a period of one month preceding the date of such intended sale in some newspaper published in the City of Victoria.

4. The advertisement shall contain a notification that unless the arrears and costs are sooner paid he will proceed to sell the lands or improvements or real property for the taxes on a day, a time, and at a place named in the advertisement.

5. The Collector shall at least two months before the time of sale also deliver to or deposit the post office to the address of the owner of such property which is to be sold for taxes as aforesaid, or to the agent of such owner, a notice in writing of the amount of taxes due, and that the property is to be sold for arrears so due, and in case the address of the owner or agent is unknown a notice to the same effect shall be posted upon the land intended to be sold and also at least two months before the time of sale post a notice similar to the above advertisement in some convenient and public places, that is to say, at the Council Chambers, Victoria, and in the Post Office Building, Victoria.

6. The day of sale shall be the thirty-third day after the first publication in a newspaper of such list, exclusive of the day of such publication, except in case the said thirty-third day shall fall on a Sunday or holiday, in which case such sale shall take place on the following day at the Council Chambers in the City of Victoria, and shall begin at twelve o'clock noon.

7. If at any time appointed for the sale of the land or improvements or real property no bidders appear the Collector may adjourn the sale from time to time.

8. If the taxes have not been previously collected, or if no one appears to pay the same at the time and place appointed for the sale, the Collector shall sell at public auction so much of the land or improvements or real property as may be sufficient to discharge the taxes and all lawful charges incurred in and about the sale and the collection of the taxes, selling in preference such part as he may consider best for the owner to sell first, and in offering such lands or improvements or real property for sale it shall not be necessary to describe particularly the portion of the lot or section which shall be sold, but it will be sufficient to say that he will sell so much of the lot or section as shall be necessary to secure the payment of the taxes due, and the amount of taxes stated in the advertisement shall in all cases be *prima facie* evidence of the correct amount due.

9. If the Collector fails at such sale to sell such land or improvements or real property for the full amount of arrears of the taxes due he shall at such sale adjourn the same until a day be publicly named by him, not earlier than one week nor later than three months thereafter, of which adjourned sale he shall give notice by advertisement in the newspaper in which the original notice was advertised, and on such day he shall sell such lands or improvements or real property for any sum he can realize, and shall accept such sum as full payment for such arrears of taxes.

10. If the purchaser of any property or parcel of land fails immediately to pay the Collector the amount of the purchase money, the Collector shall forthwith again put up the property for sale.

11. Immediately after every sale the Collector shall return a list of the arrears satisfied by such sale to the Clerk of the Corporation, and shall at the same time pay in the proceeds to the Treasurer of the said Corporation.

12. The Collector shall be entitled to five per centum commission upon the sums collected by him as aforesaid.

13. This by-law may be cited for all purposes as "The Victoria Real Estate Tax Sale By-law, 1893."

Passed the Municipal Council the 10th day of July, A.D 1893.

Reconsidered, adopted and finally passed the Council this 17th day of July, A.D. 1893.

[L.S] ROBERT BEAVEN,
Mayor.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C.M.C.

NOTICE.

The above is a true copy of a by-law passed by the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria on the 17th day of July, A.D. 1893, and all persons are hereby required to take notice that anyone desirous of applying to have such by-law, or any part thereof, quashed, must make his application for that purpose to the Supreme Court within one month next after the publication of this by-law in the *British Columbia Gazette*, or he will be too late to be heard in that behalf.

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4.30 pm	100	Ar....Victoria ... Lv	M	8.30 pm

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12.30 am	35	.. Port Madison ..	47	2 10 pm
	45	.... Kingston	41	
3 00 am	49	...Port Gamble...	21	11.00 am
4 0 am	73	...Port Ludlow...	13	10.00 am
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TIME TABLE No 18,

To take effect at 8.00 a.m. on Monday, May 1st, 1893. Trains run on Pacific. Standard Time.

SOUTH BOUND (Read Up)	No. 1 Passenger Daily	No 3 pass Fri sat. Sun.	STATIONS.	NORTH BOUND (Read Down).	No. 2 Passenger Daily	No. 4 Pass Fri. sat. Sun.
	P.M.	P.M.			A.M.	P.M.
	Ar. 12.25	Ar. 8.00	Victoria		Dp. 8.00	Dp. 3.00
	" 12.40	" 7.45	Russells		" 8.04	" 3.06
	" 12.50	" 7.38	Gordonah		" 8.14	" 3.16
	" 12.55	" 7.34	Quamichan		" 8.20	" 3.21
	" 1.05	" 7.28	Cobble Hill		" 8.30	" 3.36
	" 1.15	" 7.18	Summit Siding		" 8.41	" 3.46
	" 1.20	" 7.13	Shawnigan Lake		" 8.46	" 3.51
	" 1.30	" 7.03	McPherson's		" 8.56	" 4.01
	" 1.35	" 6.58	Koksilah		" 9.01	" 4.06
	" 1.40	" 6.53	Duncans		" 9.06	" 4.11
	" 1.50	" 6.43	Somenos		" 9.16	" 4.21
	" 1.55	" 6.38	Chemainus		" 9.21	" 4.26
	" 2.10	" 6.23	Oyster Bay siding		" 9.36	" 4.41
	" 2.30	" 6.05	Nanaimo		" 9.55	" 5.00
	" 3.15	" 5.22	Wellington		" 10.40	" 5.45
	Ar. 3.30	Dp. 4.30			Dp. 10.50	Ar. 6.00
	P.M.	P.M.			A.M.	P.M.

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FRIDAY, JULY 28, 1893.

ASTRONOMICAL.

VICTORIA, July 28, 1893.

Sun rises .....4:40 a.m. | Sun sets .....7:32 p m.
Moon rises, 8:15 a.m.

Day of the year—209th.

N.B.—The above calculations are based on mean solar time, which is 13m. 32s. slower than Victoria standard time.

THE THERMOMETER.

ESQUIMALT STATION, July 27, 1893.
Report for 24 hours ending 9 p.m.

1 a. m..	54°	Mean 59°	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m..	53°		
9 a. m..	59°	Highest 68°	5 a.m.—8 S.
1 p. m..	66°		1 p.m.—16 S.
5 p. m..	64°	Lowest 52°	9 p.m.—Calm.
9 p. m..	55		Rain—00.

Average state of weather—Fair.

E. BAYNER REED, Observer.

PASSENGERS.

Per Str. WALLA WALLA from San Francisco—H Rothschild, Mrs Sayyea Geo Samuel and wife, Wm Lacy, Mrs Wesloff, John Carne, Mrs Carne Miss Cunningham, Mrs H E Ward, Dr A P Dudley.

Per CITY OF KINGSTON, from the Sound—Gracie Benoor, C O Dorshomer, S W Cork, Isaac Vonscoral, Mrs E Jones, Otto Sortz, H H Maynard, Mrs R Maynard, J Brown, W H Hickey, D S Elliott, C P Hanley, F J Hamilton, Mrs Neuman, W N Mears, Agnes Trumbull, Mamie Exon, G L List, J E Fouchet J A Hatfield, W O Cornelius, Gen J B Wetcalf and wife, C Nordyke, [illegible] D Rand, S P Brice, A Greenwood, J B Neuman, M W Rubbe, [illegible] Sayter and wife, F G Hill, T H Osgood, M P Benton, L Sheppard, M Franklin, Wm Patterson, C R Reese, J [illegible] Scoulon, Otto Loritz H O Walker, J E Clifton, W Oakes W E Gregg and wife, E P Dapne and wife, Miss C Webster, Jno Morris, Mrs Thompson and child, C R Hilt.

Per Steamer PREMIER from Vancouver—J Ross, A C Carver, W H McKinley, Mrs Coates, Miss Arrowsmith, Thos Walton, Miss J McGinnis, J H Sprague, Mrs Stinson, A B Fraser, A H Mitchell, W M Galbraith, J Fleming, M King, Mrs Graham, Mrs Croasdaile, H Mitchel, C A Steel, W S McKenzie, A Simon, Max Leiser, Jas Jones Sgt R H Walker, Chas Doerring, Mrs Doering, Miss Miller, Mrs Wilson, A St G Hamersly, Chas Wilson, Mrs E Barker, A Aptaker, A H McNeil, R Wilson, Mrs Newman, Chas Rogers, Master Carson, Mrs Thompson, Miss Thompson, Rev D Young, Mrs Young, W D Morgan, G L Adam, G H McEachern, A Pascal, W H White, John Orrock, J D Fraser, Miss Newman, Wm Stewart J L Gordon, G Bornwick, W J Holden, R H Hall, Capt Power, W F Bullen, J Jeffrey, A A Turnbull, Mrs M Richardson, J C Holden, D T O'Neill, J Y Savage, Mrs Campbell, W D Baird, Mrs Dillard, C F Crowe, Jno Nelson, W Costigan, J L Crease, Mrs Crease, Miss Saunders, Miss A J Reggs, A B Webster, Mrs Webster, Miss Dickson, F W Dickson, W Burnes Miss Burnes, J R Moore, R R Sutherland, T Kimberly, Miss Dunn, J D Dunnett, H W Lane, Mrs Dull, F L Winn, Jno Carson, W R Pratt, Mrs Pratt, Mrs Carswell, J Mickler, H Heath, F French, Chas St Morris, R Machray, H E Croasdaile, J L Boyer, A B Blyth, Mrs Blyth, J S Basson F E Deal, P A Brownell, Master Brownell, Mrs Brownell, J J Coffery.

CONSIGNEES.

Per Str. WALLA WALLA from San Francisco—Allice & Auty, Albion Iron Wks, A Englehardt, B C Cattle Co, Cowan & Wilson, C W Rogers, D H Ross & Co, E G Prior & Co, Erskine Wall & Co, Fell & Co, Findlay D & B, Geo Saunders Geo G Rookledge, Gam Fook Yuen, H Cridly, Kong Wo, J & A Clearihue J H Frank, J H Todd & Son, Kwong Yuen, Kurtz & Co, May Ying Ling Odell & Morris, P McQuade & Son, R P Rithet & Co, R Baker & Son, Steiner, S M Hartman, Soo Hop, The Ames Holden & Co, Tobs Erle, T N Hibben & Co, Vaio & Brooks, The Phœnix Brew Co, Wilson Bros, Weiler Bros Yin Lung, Yee Chong, Rev J Fayard, Geo Stewart, Sincair & Carr, Shore & Squires, Brunswick Canning Co, Baker & Leeson, Cunnanders, C S Philp, F R Stewart, J G Hutchinson, McMillan & Hamilton, Winch & Bowen, Wells Fargo & Co.

Per CITY OF KINGSTON, from the Sound—John Potter, Wm Brown, S Leiser, J Baker, Mrs C Webster.

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BIRTHS.

BRIGGS—In this city, on the 27th inst., the wife of A. P. Briggs, of a daughter.

BURNER—On Thursday, the 27th inst., the wife of H. V. Burner, of a son.

DIED.

STEVENTON—On the 26th inst., Samuel Steventon, a native of Yorkshire, England (late of Toronto, Ont., aged 46 years.

The funeral will take place to-day (Friday) at 2:30 p.m., from the family residence, 40 John street.

Friends are invited to attend.

Thunder Storm in Ontario.

CORNWALL, Ont., July 27.—A heavy thunderstorm visited this vicinity on Tuesday, which did a lot of damage. A. McGillis, of the eighth concession of Cornwall township, lost his barns, while a man named McDonald, of the sixth concession, had half a dozen calves struck by lightning and killed. The house of a man named Lamont, who resides near Lunenberg, was struck and badly shattered, while Silas Shaver, living near Osnabruck Centre, had his barn struck and destroyed, with all his hay crop and farm implements. No loss of life has yet been reported.

Warship Turned Over.

VALPARAISO, July 27.—The Uruguayan Government has absolutely refused to imprison the officers and crew of the steamer Italia, which was fitted out to aid the revolutionists of Rio Grande do Sul and captured by a Uruguayan gunboat after she had been cast away at Rio Grande do Sul. Their imprisonment was demanded by the Brazilian Government. The steamer Italia was formally turned over yesterday to the Brazilian authorities, and it is reported that the warships will not come to this port.

There will be no formal vacation at the Conservatory of Music this summer, as Miss Adams has decided to continue the course of studies, both vocal and instrumental, throughout the season. In the former branch Mrs. Laird's contract having expired, her position will be filled by a thoroughly qualified teacher, capable of teaching sight singing and giving class lessons.

Madame Laird,

Having resigned her position at the Conservatory of Music, has opened a Studio for instruction in vocal music, at her residence, 161 Vancouver street, corner of Pandora.

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A CORDIAL WELCOME.

Vice-President Stevenson, of the United States, and Party Pay Victoria a Visit.

They Made Only a Brief Stay But Were Very Hospitably Received.

The announcement made in yesterday's COLONIST that Victoria would have a visit in the evening from the Vice-President of the United States, Adlai E. Stevenson, and his party, now on the Coast, was one that surprised a good many people, for few had any idea that the distinguished touriats were coming up this way. As a result, very hasty preparations had to be made, and this, together with the short stay, prevented anything more being done than to tender an informal reception which, however, was hearty and sincere and showed to all the visitors that Victoria and her citizens were glad to see them.

The City of Kingston did not arrive until 7:30 o'clock. She was late in leaving Tacoma, and besides made a half-hour's stop at Port Townsend, where the party were driven around the town, and had extended to them all the hospitalities that could be crowded into so short a space of time. When the Kingston reached Victoria she had all her flags flying, and the various steamers in the harbor were similarly decorated, while streamers and burgees and Union Jacks and stars and stripes floated from all the flag staffs in the town itself. As the steamer came up to the wharf the City Band, which was in waiting, played three well-known and familiar airs, "The Star Spangled Banner," "Yankee Doodle" and "God Save the Queen." As soon as the gang plank was put out, Mayor Beaven went on board accompanied by U S Consul Hon. Levi P. Myers, Col. A. J. Kane, Alderman Henderson, Messrs. Dixi H Ross, T. J. Burnes, C. W. Higgins, Geo. Haines and Martin Egan. The Mayor, then, in a very neat but brief speech, expressed his pleasure at meeting such distinguished visitors in Victoria. He cordially welcomed them to the city, and, while regretting that the visit must necessarily be so short, he hoped it would be made sufficiently pleasant to ensure kindly remembrance. The Vice-President replied in well chosen language, suggesting that the pleasure of the visit would be his and his party's more than Victoria's. The reception committee were then introduced to the members of the party, who were as follows:

Vice-President Adlai E. Stevenson, Mrs. Stevenson, and their daughter, Miss Letitia Stevenson; Mrs. M. T. Scott, of Louisville, Ky., sister of Mrs. Stevenson; Miss Letitia Scott, niece of Mrs. Scott; Judge W. G. Ewing, of the Cook County (Ill.) Supreme court, Chicago; Mrs. Ewing and their daughters Miss Mamie and Miss Ruth Ewing; Judge S. P. Shope, of the Illinois Supreme court, Lewiston, Ill.; Judge George Burnett, of St. Louis; Miss Blanche Burnett and Miss Lewhe Rubey, of St. Louis.

When Vice-President Stevenson was at the gangway of the steamer coming ashore, the crowd there cheered him lustily and again when he had come through the freight shed and was entering the carriage in waiting, they gave a similar demonstration of their good feeling, and Mr. Stevenson responded by raising his hat and bowing. No time was lost in waiting. The carriages which contained all the members of the party except Judge Burnett started off and the visitors were given what they all declared was a most delightful drive. They were first taken out to Esquimalt, where they were shown the graving dock and had a magnificent view of the harbor and of the flagship, Royal Arthur, and H.M.S Nymphe. The original intention was to have taken them all on board the Royal Arthur, where Rear-Admiral Stephenson was to have entertained them, but, owing to the late hour at which they arrived, this idea was abandoned and the visitors had to be content with seeing the representatives of the British navy from a distance. They all admired the graving dock very much, and were especially interested in knowing about the proposed fortifications of which they had heard such alarming reports. After seeing the dock, the carriages were again taken and the homeward drive was commenced. Instead of coming directly back to the city, however, a detour was made, and the visitors were shown the Gorge by moonlight,—and a delightful and fascinating scene it was, too. From Parson's Bridge they had a magnificent view of the water, which never looked prettier. It was smooth as glass, the thick foliage along the banks was "mirrored in the deep," and the silvery light glistening through the trees completed a moonlight scene, the equal of which, Mr. Stevenson said, he had never seen. To say that the visitors were charmed, is to give but a poor idea of their feelings and they regretted again and again that arrangements had not been made to permit them to remain a little longer to enjoy the scenery and the attractive environments of the Capital City.

It was about 8 o'clock when the drive was commenced and just 10 p.m. when the carriages arrived back at the Kingston, which was waiting, all ready to start, and the captain anxious to get away. It was then but a moment until good-bye was said, and the members of the party extended individual thanks for their warm welcome to British territory. Several of them promise to come again. One of these is Judge Ewing, who wants to come out here during the winter and see for himself what the climate is like, and how it would agree with him.

Vice-President Stevenson is a distinguished looking man, tall, military looking, with a snowy moustache which makes him look older than he really is. Mrs. Stevenson, while apparently suffering more from fatigue of travel than any other members of the party, attracted all by her unaffectedness of manner and pleasant disposition. Miss Letitia Stevenson, the youngest daughter of the vice-president and Mrs. Stevenson, was apparently as happy as a lark and as lively as a cricket. All seemed to agree that she is a most charming young lady. A pronounced blonde, her beauty is of the Oriental type, her eyes being large and expressive. The Misses Ewing are also most attractive young ladies. They were enthusiastic over the lovely scenery around Victoria and delighted with their visit. In fact all the ladies of the party were charmed. They enjoyed their sail across the Straits immensely, and were looking forward with much expectation to the return trip by moonlight.

Vice-President Stevenson speaks in feeling language of his warm reception all along the Coast, a welcome which has been a revelation and which he will never forget. He had expected an enjoyable trip, but had no idea of the enthusiastic demonstrations that would be accorded him, and on account of which he will long have a warm spot in his heart for the great West. To-day the whole party is being entertained in Seattle, from which point they take their departure for the East, going by way of the Great Northern, with a stop over at Spokane.

One of the happy hits in connection with the trip was the decoration with flowers of the Vice President's stateroom on the City of Kingston. This was done on Wednesday evening at Victoria by Mr. T. J. Burnes.

FROM VANCOUVER.

The Hospital Authorities Censured by a Coroner's Jury in Their Verdict.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

VANCOUVER, July 27.—Coroner McGuigan held an inquiry on the death of Tilda Phillips, who died alone and unattended in a house of ill-repute, on Dupont street. It seems that when the deceased had applied to the hospital for admittance, in the last stages of consumption, the authorities refused her application on account of her calling. The verdict was that the authorities had been negligent in their duty.

P. A. Fiachel desires the COLONIST to contradict the announcement that Miss Monteith proposes to resign her position in St. Andrew's choir. She has never thought or said a word on the subject.

VANCOUVER, July 27.—$26,000 worth of sealskins were shipped East from here yesterday.

English Bay is a very popular resort this season. Hundreds of ladies and gentlemen in attractive bathing costume may be seen along the beach at any time between the hours of 2 and 5 p m. The popularity of the resort this season is due to the city building suitable padlock dressing rooms for ladies and putting Mr. Frank Morgan, a thoroughly efficient man for the position, in charge. For thirty of these rooms a fee of 5 cents is charged; ten of them are free.

H I H Prince Yoribito, a close relation of the Emperor of Japan, will be a passenger on the next Empress.

Mr. D R Young, of Victoria, is building eight houses in Vancouver. He is to locate here.

Major General Twigge had an interview with Hon. T. M Daly, in reference to the Parliament buildings petition. Mr. Daly, with the proverbial politeness of a public man, said that the petition would receive careful consideration at the hands of the Government.

There are excursions every day now. Vancouverites are having a gay time this season.

Yesterday's train was delayed on account of an accident to a freight train. The freight ran into a rock a mile east of Yale. Brakeman Richardson's arm was broken.

Two engines were required to pull out yesterday's Atlantic express. A carload of silk, two baggage cars, three sleepers, three second class, one first class coach and the Government private car.

A very complimentary address was presented to Captain Monsarrat by the passengers of the steamship Empress of Japan on her trip out.

Mr E L. Philips and family spent Sunday and Monday on Bowyer Island, Howe Sound. On Sunday Mr. Philips found a pint beer bottle floating among the drift wood, with a paper inside. On the paper being examined it was found, on one side, to be part of a letter: "—erta, N.W.T., — — — write soon ———. Best respects from Harry and myself." Some of the words were too indistinct to make out. On the other side the writing is almost illegible. Mr. Phillips, hower, made out the following: "Ss. ——peliga. Lost. Lost. Lost. Cameron and Stewart wrecked on the coast of —— land. Write our friends if found. (Signed) S. A. Cameron." Mr. Philips thinks it a hoax.

The two crews from the Burrard Inlet club and the Vancouver Boating club crew returned from Portland yesterday with the senior challenge cup. Vancouver deserves credit for sending three crews to the Portland regatta. It was a good act for the city. The boys say they were given the freedom of the city and treated magnificently by the Portlanders.

PERSONAL.

Capt. Power, of Vancouver, is in the city.

J. E. Clifton, of Tacoma, is at the Victoria.

A. G. Smith, D.A.G., returned from Nanaimo yesterday.

Chas R. Westman, of Portland, is registered at the Victoria.

C. D. Rand came over by the City of Kingston yesterday.

M. King, the logger, was a passenger from the Mainland last night.

Rev. D Young and wife came down from Vancouver yesterday afternoon.

E. M. Yarwood and H A. Simpson, attorneys of Nanaimo, are in the city.

Chas. St. Morris, of the Germania Life Insurance Co, is again in the city.

The Misses Goodwins return to Miss Lake's school, San Francisco, per steamer Puebla.

W. N. Mears, F. H. Osgood and M. P. Benton were passengers by the Kingston yesterday.

Chas. Wilson, Max Leiser and W. F. Bullen arrived over from Vancouver last evening.

H. E. and Mrs. Croasdaile returned home last evening and were passengers on the Premier.

John Caine and wife and Miss Hattie Cunningham, of Stockton, Cal., are guests at the Victoria.

H. Dempsey and wife are at the Driard. Mr. Dempsey is proprietor of the Windsor hotel in Nanaimo.

Samuel M Robins, general manager of the New Vancouver Coal company, at Nanaimo, is at the Driard.

Geo. Leishman, of the Ogilvie Milling company, left on this morning's steamer for the Mainland on a business trip.

Mrs. Dellard, of San Francisco; J Hussey and wife, of Philadelphia; W. D. Boll, of Los Angeles, and John E Nelson and William Costigan, are guests at the Dallas.

The following guests are registered at the Hotel Dallas: Mrs. Brandt and Miss Perrolt, of Nanaimo; James D. Boyd and John Morrison, Glasgow, and D. N. Kester, M. D., Toronto.

Miss Magann and Miss Taylor, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. M H. Cowan for the past two months, leave for their home in San Francisco, this morning, by the City of Puebla.

A. W. Vowell, superintendent of Indian Affairs, leaves by the Islander for Metlakatla, where he will take his own steamer in order to visit adjacent Indian agencies. He will be absent for about two weeks.

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mr. Justice Brooks, of Sherbrooke, Que., visited the Full Court, yesterday afternoon, during the hearing of the appeal case of Gabriel v. Mesher, and were invited by the Chief Justice to a seat on the bench.

J. C. Holden, president of the Ames, Holden company, of Montreal, with branches in Toronto, Winnipeg and Victoria, arrived here last evening on the Premier on a visit to Mr. A. C. Flumerfelt, the Victoria manager. Mr. Holden heard of the trip of the Islander to Alaska and decided to take it in, but as the Islander had already left here, he went over to Vancouver by this morning's steamer and will catch the Islander there.

Lieut.-Colonel and Mrs. Tallman, of New York, who have been staying at the Hotel Dallas since their arrival by the Empress of India, on Tuesday, left for Alaska on the Islander, last evening, with the expectation of spending a few more weeks in Victoria after returning from their northern trip.

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Mellor reported to Speaker Peel, the presiding officer of the House announced the Home Rule bill, as amended in committee. Cheer after cheer was given, and all hats were waved for Mr. Gladstone by the Liberals and Irish, who were answered by the Unionists with counter cheers.

The reporting stage was fixed for August 7, and the House adjourned.

Killed by an Electric Wire.

BRANTFORD, July 27.—A team of corporation horses were instantly killed by coming in contact with a wire which was touching a trolly wire.

Well-Known Churchman Dead.

TORONTO, July 27—(Special)—Richard Snelling, Q.C., Chancellor of the diocese of Toronto and one of the best known laymen in Canada, died of dropsy of the heart today.

Foundry Burned.

MONTREAL, July 27.—McDougall's foundry was damaged by fire to-day to the extent of $12,000. The fire originated in the storeroom, which contained a large quantity of inflammable material. The flames spread so rapidly that within ten minutes the roof fell in. The firemen saved only the pattern room, while the storeroom and foundry proper were destroyed. About 130 men are temporarily out of work.

Blood Poisoning

Mrs. Mary E. O'Fallon, a very intelligent lady of Piqua, Ohio, was poisoned while assisting physicians at an autopsy 5 years ago, and soon **terrible ulcers** broke out on her head, arms, tongue and throat. Her hair all came out. Her husband spent hundreds of dollars without any benefit. She weighed but 78 pounds, and saw no prospect of help. At last she began to take Hood's Sarsaparilla and at once improved; could soon get out of bed and walk. She says, "I became perfectly cured by

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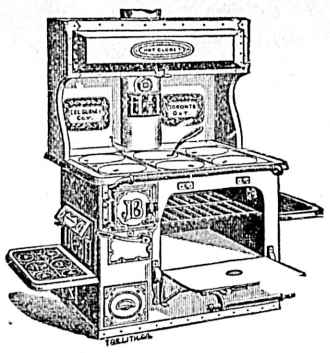

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